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BIG JURY INDICTS 20; HALF GAMING

INQUISITORS "SWEAT" 49 IN 3 DAYS SESSION.

BEGIN ARRESTS AT ONCE

Those Nabbed Will Be Arraigned in Circuit Court Monday—Maryville Men in "Net," Reported.

Twenty indictments out of approximately forty complaints investigated were returned by the grand jury in its report to the circuit court at 9 o'clock this morning, after a continuous session of three days. In that time the twelve jurors and prosecuting attorney "sweated" forty-nine persons, most of them being from the vicinities of Conception Junction, Clyde, Burlington Junction, Clearmont and Maryville. Eugene Rathbun was foreman of the jury.

Of the twenty "true" bills returned by the inquisitors, about half were for alleged gaming, several on charges of liquor violations, and a couple for disturbances of the peace of person and in public meetings. tI is said one was returned for alleged state law violations relative to carnal knowledge.

Maryville Men in It?

Of the twenty indictments four were against Maryville residents, it is said, and the remainder distributed through the vicinities of Burlington Junction, Skidmore, Conception Junction, Clyde and Clearmont. Several of those indicted are charged on more than one count.

The county authorities began making arrests of persons indicted this afternoon, and all are expected to be in custody by Saturday night. Those arrested by that time will be arraigned before Circuit Judge William C. Ellison next Monday morning and pleas entered.

Those denying guilt will probably be tried during this April term of court, according to Prosecutor W. G. Sawyers.

No Visit to County Homes.

The men composing the grand jury were lauded by county authorities for their work and minute examination of witnesses brought before the inquisitorial body. The grand jury called in January, 1914, however, returned more than 100 indictments, although many of them were for more than one count against a person.

No inspection of the county jail, county farm or court house was made by the grand jury this time. One reason was because John G. Thornhill, former presiding judge of the county court, was a member of the jury and was well informed as to conditions in the county institutions.

These Testified.

Those who testified before the grand jury during its three days inquisition were:

Clearmont—Charles Jacobson, Otis Linville, Mrs. W. W. Crigger, Harold Koger, Walter Williams, Miss Ethel Bush, B. H. Kinder, R. D. Blain, Miss Lura Porterfield, J. A. Huls.

Burlington Junction — John R. Graves, Ben Pitts, J. A. Barr, Mrs. Clyde Fox, A. B. Trasper, R. D. Irvin, Mrs. John Lewis, Peter Lewis, C. O. Fox, W. C. Risser, Charles Thacker, Charles Dewyre, Dewey Leonard, Baker Hutson, James T. Hutson, John D. Smith, Charles Childress.

Conception Junction—Clarence Binter, A. J. Binter, Orley Wilcox, James Walsh, T. E. Archer, Albert McDonald, John Klepping.

Clyde—Allie Schaaf, Leo King, C. H. Schaaf, Joseph Caddell, Albert Caddell.

Skidmore—E. C. Pruett.

Maryville—Virgil Clowser, Fount Beeman, W. C. Evans, James Milton, John Williams.

Dawson—C. A. Race, Jesse Whittington.

Elmo—F. M. Walton.

Guilford—Miss Roxie Young.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

APPOINT ROAD OVERSEERS

Township Board Places Each of 9 on $500 Bond—Levy Tax April 14.

The appointment of road overseers for Polk township, which was made yesterday afternoon by the township board, as reported in yesterday's Democrat-Forum, will be followed up Wednesday, April 14, by the levying of taxes in Polk township. This meeting also will be held in the rear of the Real Estate bank.

The road overseers are to be placed under $500 bond each, and each will receive regular pay of 25 cents per hour. An inventory of the tools and road working equipment in their possession must be turned in soon.

The road overseers appointed were: District No. 1, A. R. Robinson; district No. 2, Joseph Pfeiffer; district No. 3, Mike Sherlock; district No. 4, John Halasey; district No. 5, Clark Scott; district No. 6, Henry Seipel; district No. 7, Andrew McKillop; district No. 8, Walter Coulter; district No. 9, D. M. Pike.

WABASH OFFICIALS GO THROUGH.

New Railroad head and Assistants Make Tour of Lines.

A special train of three sleepers, conveying Wabash officials over the St. Louis-Omaha line for an inspection, passed through Maryville at 12.45 o'clock this afternoon. A short stop was made.

Those comprising the inspection party were Edward Kearney of St. Louis, new president of the Wabash; Edward B. Pryor of St. Louis, receiver; T. J. Jones of Moberly, division superintendent; J. T. Sheehan of Moberly, engineer of maintenance and way; W. H. Eckard of Stanberry, trainmaster; J. P. Holmburg of Stanberry, roadmaster.

HOLD JONES RITES FRIDAY.

Body Arrived from Knowlton This Morning—Services at Westbrook Home.

The funeral services for Loren Jones, who died Saturday at Knowlton, Mont., will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mr. Jones' brother-in-law, Prof. W. M. Westbrook, 625 West First street.

The services will be conducted by the Rev. Lewis M. Hale, pastor of the First Baptist church. The burial will be in Miriam cemetery.

The body arrived from Knowlton this morning. It was accompanied by Mrs. Jones and two children, Mrs. J. L. Jones, the mother of Mr. Jones, who had been visiting at Long Beach, Cal., and W. H. George of Knowlton.

SKIDMORE SCHOOL THE BEST.

Is Advanced from Second to First Class, Following State Inspection.

The Skidmore high school has been advanced from a second class to a first class high school, according to an announcement made by the department of education at Jefferson City. The Hopkins high school still remains as a first class high school and the Pickering high school as a third class high school. The Parnell high school will be approved as a third class high school whenever it secures additional library and laboratory equipment.

An inspection of these schools was made recently by F. C. Irwin, the high school inspector.

NORMAL REGENT MAY DIE.

Leo Phipps, Grant City, Very Ill—Relatives Here to Bedside.

Judge Leo Phipps of Grant City, a member of the board of regents of the State Normal school, has been taken seriously ill again and his recovery is not expected, according to word received here this morning. Ira J. Phipps, a brother, and A. O. Mason, a brother-in-law, both living here, have been summoned to Judge Phipps' bedside. He is suffering from pneumonia and a complication of diseases.

Judge Phipps' term on the regent board does not expire until 1919. He has been interested in educational work many years, was prosecuting attorney of Worth county several years, has been secretary of th eschool board there fifteen years and a leader in all civic movements.

TONIGHT

TWO REEL KEYSTONE COMEDY
"HUSHING THE SCANDAL"
ONE REEL KEYSTONE COMEDY
"CAUGHT IN THE LARK"
REGULAR PROGRAM WELL SELECTED

Empire Theatre

WHERE COMFORT IS COUPLED WITH PLEASURE
Your Choice Is Mine a Nickle or a Dime
Lower Floor 10c
Balcony - 5c

3 SHOT BY TENANTS

PARNELL FARMER MAY DIE AS RESULT ATTEMPTED REJECTION.

OPEN FIRE ON INVADERS

Son and Employe Aid Frank Haas, Tenant, to Resist Removal by Al Waldier, Administrator.

Al Waldier, a farmer living five miles south of Parnell, is lying at the point of death at his home, and his son, Al Waldier, Jr., and William Pollard are both seriously wounded as the result of a shooting affair at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the Alex McCracken farm, six miles southwest of Grant City, when the three men were attacked by Frank Haas, his son, Carter Haas, and Fred Willis, a hired man in the employ of Haas.

Mr. Waldier, accompanied by his son and young Pollard, went to the McCracken farm yesterday afternoon to confer with Haas about the tenancy for this year. Mr. Waldier, Sr., is administrator of the McCracken estate. He went there to look after the work and to put a new tenant on the farm, in the place of Frank Haas, who had been the lessee. He claimed that he was still entitled to the renting of the farm for this year.

Meet Invaders With Guns.

Haas and his son and the hired man, Willis, armed with shotguns, it is said, met the Waldier party, and after the exchange of a few words, one of the Haas crowd opened fire. After the first shot, which struck Mr. Waldier, Sr., inflicting only a slight wound in his shoulder, the others engaged in a fistic encounter, the armed ones using their guns as weapons.

The elder Waldier was struck several times over the head with the butt of a gun, wielded by one of the attacking party, inflicting critical wounds. He also received other serious injuries.

He was hurried to his home where he remains in a precarious state. He has been in an unconscious condition since yesterday, and the indications for his recovery are very slight.

Shooting Follows Litigation.

Young Waldier and Pollard were both badly bruised and cut but neither are in a serious condition.

The trouble regarding the tenancy of the farm began with Frank Haas some time ago and before the death of Alex McCracken. The matter was taken by McCracken and Haas into the Worth county court, the farm being in that county.

Frank Haas and his son and Willis were arraigned soon afterwards, charged with assault with intent to kill. They were arraigned before Justice of the Peace J. E. Ingle of Grant City. Pending their preliminary hearing, which was set for April 14, the three men were released on bond for $5,000 each.

BUT THE THIEF WASN'T HUMAN.

Chief's Bloodhounds Fail to Trail Hopkins Chicken Catcher—The Reason.

Chief of Police E. C. Moberly had his first call yesterday to use his newly arrived bloodhounds. J. L. Downer of Hopkins sent a hurry-up message to the chief that someone had taken eighty little chickens and asked the chief to hurry up there with his bloodhounds.

The chief cast off all other business, boarded the noon train with his human trailers, bound for Hopkins, the scene of the theft. After unsuccessfully attempting to get the dogs to follow a trail, several boards to an outbuilding were pried off, and there lay the carcasses of the many young chicks, but the rat or weasel couldn't be found.

TO GIVE FAIRFAX CONCERT.

Local Musicians and Songsters Will Perform Friday for High School.

Prof. P. O. Landon, Prof. H. B. Schuler, Miss Bess Scott, Miss Nellie Wray, Miss Alice Porter and Orlo Quinn will go to Fairfax Friday to participate in a high school concert there. Prof. Schuler, Miss Scott, Miss Wray and Mr. Quinn will give the musical operetta "Beans and Buttons," which "took" so well here last winter, while Prof. Landon and Miss Porter will give piano numbers.

Several vocal solos and duets also are scheduled.

On Executive Committee.

O. F. Wilson of Burlington Junction was selected as a member of the executive committee of the Northwest Missouri Breeders' association, which meets at Savannah Wednesday.

RAISE REAL ESTATE VALUES

County Court Increases Most Country Land and Some Stock—Hear Appeals April 26.

Country real estate assessments for 1914 in five townships of Nodaway county were raised from 5 to 15 per cent by the county court, sitting as the annual board of equalization, the first three days of this week. Live stock assessments in two townships also came in for a boost by the equalizers, while many individual assessments of land and personal property came in for a change.

The equalization board dissolved this morning and the county court met in regular monthly session. It will meet as a board of appeals Monday, April 26, to hear "kicks" against any changes it may have made as a board of equalization. Township changes made were:

Atchison—Real estate raised 15 per cent.

Jefferson—Country real estate left same, after being reduced 5 per cent.

Independence—Country real estate raised 15 per cent.

Monroe—Country real estate raised 10 per cent.

Hughes—Country real estate raised 5 per cent.

Grant—Country real estate raised 10 per cent.

Union—Mules raised 20 per cent.

Lincoln—Horses, mules and cattle raised 20 per cent.

HOLD SHORT COURT SESSION

Few Cases Disposed of This Morning in Circuit Court—Jury Tomorrow.

A short session of the circuit court was held this morning to dispose of several trial and equity cases. The petit jury was excused until tomorrow morning, when trial cases by jury are set for hearing. The following actions were taken this morning:

Joseph Kempf and others against the Farmers bank, replevin, continued.

David Horn against M. A. Gaugh, damages, dismissed.

William Colburn against Richard Neeley, account, continued.

W. R. Browning against R. B. Young, justice appeal, continued.

Clarence W. Williams against James Heekin and William Heekin, damages, dismissed.

Charles W. Williams against T. W. Costello, damages, dismissed.

Gideon Matter against Mary A. Nelson and others, perfect title, decree.

Claude N. Comstock against Margaret Conley and others, partition, decree.

IS GIVEN 249 ACRE FARM

Father Presents Son With Valuable Homestead as Wedding Present.

In addition to getting a bride, Frank Orvil Litsch of Hopkins obtained a 249-acre Nodaway county farm on his wedding day last Sunday. The farm was a gift from the groom's father, Joseph Litsch, and was given to him, free from all encumbrance, as a wedding present.

Mr. Litsch was married Sunday afternoon to Miss Hattie Frances Lawler, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lawler, living eight miles east of Hopkins. The marriage service was read by the Rev. D. W. Griffith, pastor of the Baptist church.

The groom has been in business in Hopkins several years, but after a honeymoon trip of several weeks he and his bride will reside on the "wedding present" farm, which is just north of Hopkins.

AUSTRIAN BOMBS KILL 12

Aviator Also Injures 48 at Podgoritza, Montenegro—Many Buildings Destroyed.

By American Press.

Paris, April 8.—Twelve women and children were killed outright and forty-eight were injured, some perhaps fatally, by bombs dropped by Austrian aviators in the market place at Podgoritza, Montenegro, yesterday afternoon.

Many buildings were destroyed by the missiles, seven of which were dropped from one aeroplane.

TO MAKE COMMENCEMENT TALK.

Prof. H. A. Miller Speaks on "Efficient Man" at Rosendale Soon.

An address before a high school graduation class of twelve will be delivered at Rosendale, April 22, by Prof. Harry A. Miller of the Normal faculty. Prof. Miller will speak on "The Efficient Man, or the Elements of Efficiency."

In this address Prof. Miller divides his topic into five auxiliary parts, they being purpose, preparation, pluck, persistence and personality.

NEW COUNCIL IN

M. A. PEERY WINS THIRD ON AFFIDAVIT OF "MISSING" VOTER.

H. L. RAINES HEADS BODY

Mayor Names Five Councilmanic Committees—E. W. Barrock Bonded as Collector for $20,000.

The New Council.

Ward One—Jesse Fisher, Mose Hahn.

Second Ward—Ed M. Dragoo, Frank Garrett.

Third Ward—M. A. Peery, H. L. Raines, president.

Fourth Ward—D. E. McDonald, W. A. Tindall.

Council Committees.

Cemetery—Hahn, chairman; McDonald, Garrett.

Streets, alleys and sewers—Peery, chairman; Dragoo and Raines.

Finance—Peery, chairman; Garrett and McDonald.

Fire, lights and water—Fisher, chairman; Tindall and Raines.

Auditing—Dragoo, chairman; Hahn and Tindall.

The old council passed out and a new one entered last night during a special meeting of the aldermanic body to certify Tuesday's municipal election and adopt paving resolutions.

The expected deadlock relative to the third ward vote for M. A. Peery and Martin Borrusch, for councilman, failed to materialize. When the question was raised by Councilman Raines an affidavit was read by Mayor U. S. Wright in which John Clary stated he had voted Tuesday in the third ward but that his name was not entered in the poll book. That gave Peery one more vote than Borrusch. Five attorneys were present.

New Collector in, Too.

This settled, the three new councilmen, Dragoo, Peery and McDonald, and Hahn, re-elected, were given certificates of election and sworn into office by Mayor Wright. The retiring members then gave way to the three new ones.

After the passage of the grade ordinance and adoption of paving resolutions, the new council proceeded to organize. Mayor Wright made the committee appointments. Then on motion of Garrett, seconded by Tindall, Councilman H. L. Raines was unanimously elected president.

Before the old council retired it approved the final report of Deputy City Collector Harold Selecman for tax receipts from April 2 to April 7. It amounted to $110.95.

Early this morning Mayor Wright swore in Elmer W. (Red) Barrock as new city collector to succeed Mrs. Samuel Selecman. He gave personal bond for $20,000.

HAS POSITION AT EXPOSITION.

Frank Litts is Time Keeper—John Mutz Visits Former Maryville People.

Frank Litts, formerly of this city, now a resident of San Francisco, Cal., has a position as official time keeper for the employees of the Panama-Pacific exposition.

Mr. Litts' parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Litts, and the other members of the family are now residents of San Francisco. John Mutz, who has recently returned from a western trip, was the guest of Mr. Litts at the exposition.

During Mr. Mutz' trip he stopped at Corvallis, Ore., and visited with Dr. Harry Anderson, the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Anderson, who live south of the city, who has been located at Corvallis for some time, and also visited Prof. Harry Shepherd, who is now with the Oregon State Agricultural school at Corvallis.

WINS ATHLETIC HONORS.

Ralph Farmer, Second in Running in Ohio and Massachusetts.

Athletic honors a-plenty have come to Ralph Farmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Farmer of this city, who is a student at Oberlin college, Oberlin, O. In the inter-college contest there recently he took second prize in running.

For that reason he was sent to Worchester, Mass., to compete with eastern students in athletics. There he also took second prize in running.

Get Good Prices for Steers.

Frank Potts of near Burlington Junction and W. M. Simerly, also a Nodaway county farmer, received good prices for steers on the St. Joseph market yesterday. Potts received $7.65 for 1,217-pound steers and Simerly received $7.36 for a car of short-fed ones.

VILLA WINS; THEN LOSES

Obregon's Defeat a Severe Blow at Carranza—Yesterday's Battle Turned the Table.

By American Press.

El Paso, Texas, April 8.—By the defeat of Obregon's army in the last two days in central Mexico, officials of the Villa faction declared today that a decisive blow had been struck at the Carranza cause.

By American Press.

Vera Cruz, Mexico, April 8.—General Obregon yesterday inflicted serious defeat on Villa troops between Celaya and Irapuato, on the Mexican Central railroad. It was the first big engagement since the evacuation of Mexico City.

PICK GRADE QUIZ POINTS

Last Year Public School Pupils May Take "Exams" 16 Places April 16 and 17.

Sixteen places within Nodaway county, one in each township except in Hughes, where two are provided, have been announced by County School Superintendent Bert Cooper for conducting the annual eighth grade pupils' examinations, April 16 and 17. There will be three directors or supervisors for each place, all being public school teachers within the county.

The places selected in each township are:

Hughes—Graham high school and Lyle school house.

Monroe—Skidmore high school.

Lincoln—Elmo high school.

Nodaway—Burlington Junction high school.

Atchison—Clearmont high school.

Hopkins—Hopkins high school.

Union—Pickering high school.

Polk—Maryville Business college, Maryville.

White Cloud—Davis school.

Grant—Barnard high school.

Washington—Guilford school.

Jefferson — Conception Junction school.

Jackson—Ravenwood high school.

Independence—Gaynor school.

Green—Quitman high school.

BAPTIST TRIP IS POSTPONED.

Special Excursion Arranged for Tonight Held Over Until Monday.

On account of their inability to perfect arrangements, the party of members from the First Baptist church who had intended to go to St. Joseph tonight to hear the Rev. Lewis M. Hale in an evangelistic service at the Patee Park church, will postpone the trip until Monday. The intention of the crowd was to go on the regular Burlington train at 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon and return on a special leaving St. Joseph at 11:30 o'clock that night.

The special could not be arranged for tonight, and the committee managing the affair are planning it for Monday evening.

Many are planning to hear Mme. Schumann-Heink, who gives a concert in St. Joseph Monday night, and expect to join the party of Baptists and return on the special. Regular passenger rates will be furnished if a party of 130 can be secured.

A great many are expecting to attend the concert, and those intending to return on the special are asked to notify Miss Alice Porter at the Conservatory or Dr. Karl Malotte or Ray Davis, who are in charge of the arrangements.

CLEAN-UP LEADERS TO MEET.

Ward Captains and General Committee to Decide Campaign Plans.

A meeting of the four city ward captains and the general clean-up committee will be held at the Commercial club rooms at 5 o'clock this afternoon to discuss plans for the general city clean-up April 20. Definite steps in this direction and a mapping out of the various districts also will probably be made.

Buys Farm Near Hopkins.

M. C. Owens, near Hopkins, has purchased the old Willard 64-acre farm for $8,050 from Alexander & Collins of Hopkins, who only last week purchased it from Mrs. J. C. McMaster. Mr. Owens will move to the newly purchased farm.

Sick Child Improving.

Mary Donna, the young daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Karl Malotte, who has been very ill with pneumonia, is improving.

COUNCIL PROVIDES 39 PAVING BLOCKS

PASS GRADE ORDINANCES AND IMPROVEMENT RESOLUTIONS.

ASPHALT OR TAR TOP, CONCRETE BASE USED

Drop 2 Blocks on Walnut—Barring Remonstrances, City to Order Work Done Soon.

Would Pave These Streets.

Fifth—Market west six blocks to Dunn street, across Wabash switch tracks.

Dunn—Fourth, south two blocks to Second street.

Walnut—Ninth, south eight blocks to First street.

Thompson—Walnut, east four blocks to Main.

Market—Third, south three blocks to Jenkins.

Jenkins—Market, west one block to Main.

Ninth—Mulberry, west three blocks to the east limit of Normal grounds.

Mulberry—Ninth, north three blocks to Twelfth.

Twelfth—Mulberry, west one block to Walnut.

Third—Frederick avenue, west four blocks to west city limits.

West City Line—Third, north one block to Fourth.

Normal avenue—West city limits, east three blocks to Munn avenue.

Paving in Maryville this spring had its inning in the city council last night. For three hours ordinances and resolutions providing for the paving of thirty-nine blocks on twelve separate streets were being approved and passed by the councilmanic body. Not a dissenting vote was cast for any of the propositions by the eight councilmen—five old heads and three new ones.

The first matter to come up was the passage of a grade ordinance to establish the grade for all of the blocks to be paved.

Then came ordinances to bring these various streets to the grades established by City Engineer F. L. Flynt in grade ordinance No. 642.

For Asphalt or Tar Paving.

They were each followed by resolutions for paving those blocks, explaining the kind of material to be used, the width, and how the expense is to be met.

Those provisions are to pay the paving costs by levying a special assessment against all property abutting on the blocks to be paved. The resolutions provide a bituminous concrete surface of between two and three inches thick. This would allow the use of either asphalt or tar products.

Beneath the surface, a five inch Portland cement foundation or base is provided. The streets also are to be provided with six-inch gutters and eighteen-inch curbing in most instances.

Provide Two Wide Thoroughfares.

Two of the streets are to be forty-two feet wide, one twenty-seven and the remainder twenty-four feet, according to the resolutions. The wide streets would be West Fifth and Market from Jenkins and Third street.

The resolutions provide for about 34,000 square yards of paving besides about 15,000 square yards of intersections and alley ways. It is asphal-

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THE WEATHER

Unsettled weather tonight and Friday; probably showers.

Will Receive Bids

The Standard Poland-China Record association, Maryville, Missouri, will receive sealed bids for the construction of a one-story brick building, to be built according to plans and specifications submitted by Architect James Schack.

We reserve full right to reject any and all bids. Sealed bids must be in the hands of the secretary on or before April 20, 1915. Address or call on Ray Davis, secretary, Maryville, Missouri, for plans.

TO-NIGHT TO-NIGHT

Marguerite Clark

In THE GOOSE GIRL

Five Acts—Five and Ten Cents—To-night 7:30 p. m.

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The new city council has been organized. The people have elected some excellent members. Now, let's have a strong pull. All together for the good of Maryville.

Two members of the state senate, Senators Harris of Boone county and Moore of Barton county, have declined to accept commissions to serve on junketing committees created by the recent legislature. Senator Moore was made chairman of a committee to investigate the wages paid children in this state, but declined, because he does not approve the expenditure of public funds in this manner and believes the information sought can be obtained in other ways. Senator Harris has raised the question of the legality of such commissions. There have been many such commissions, some of which have rendered valuable returns, while others have been mere pleasure parties. The short term of the legislature makes it impossible to make any exhaustive investigations during the sessions, but the amount appropriated for these commissions is generally greatly in excess of their needs.

Spent Day in St. Joseph.

Mrs. A. J. Luppold and Miss Marcia Cutler went to St. Joseph this morning to spend the day visiting friends.

COUNCIL PROVIDES 39 PAVING BLOCKS

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tic material and about 10 cents less for tar mixtures. Brick or creosoted wood block paving would be considerably higher.

B. C. Nelson of Kansas City, representing the John Baker, Jr., Asphalt Company of Chicago, and a Kansas City representative of the Barrett Paving Company were present last night.

The grade ordinances and paving resolutions, passed and adopted by the city council last night, will be published for two consecutive weeks. Ordinances will then be brought before the next meeting of the council, May 6, providing for such paving, and instructing the city engineer to advertise for bids for the improvements.

If petitions containing names of more than half of the property owners along the streets, remonstrating against such improvements are presented before the council, however, the paving resolutions would be for naught. It is not believed many remonstrances will be made however. In fact many persons owning property along the streets, have asked that such action be made by the council.

Miss Ruth Matter left yesterday for Springfield, Mo., to spend several weeks the guest of Miss Helen Wray.

WOMEN ATTEND CONVENTION.

Maryville Delegates Go to District Meeting at Oregon.

Miss Lucie B. Davis left today for Oregon, Mo., to attend the presbyterial meeting of the Women's Missionary society, which is in session today and tomorrow. Miss Davis is president of the Women's Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church. Miss Mary Frances Ford, who is also a delegate to the meeting, left yesterday afternoon for Oregon.

The convention will include a representation from all societies in the St. Joseph presbytery.

Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets
will relieve your indigestion. Many people in this town have used them and we have yet to hear of a case where they have failed. We know the formula. Sold only by us—25c a box.
Orear-Henry Drug Co.

New York Guests Leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Woods of Hinsdale, N. Y., who have been spending several days in Maryville, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hudson and family, left today for their home. The visitors were enroute east from a visit at San Francisco, Cal. Mr. Woods is a nephew of Mrs. Hudson.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

SLEEP PRODUCERS
---Comfortable Nightwear

PAJUNIONS—The latest word in combination suit Pajamas. You should see these garments to appreciate their merit. Assorted fabrics **$1.50 and $2.00**

PAJAMAS—Change that yawn to a smile after a pleasant nights rest, Domet Flannel, Madras, Mercerized fabrics and Silk. **$1.50 to $3 50 the Suit.**

NIGHT GOWNS TOO—Cambric, Krinkle Cloth and Muslin, low neck and collar style, big and roomy, any size, **$1.00 the garment.**

ROY W. PETTIT
The Toggery Shop

SPECIAL ITEMS

For Friday and Saturday

White Bed Quilts, worth $2.00 special for.....$1.25

40 inch Black Messaline Silk extra heavy quality, worth $1.25 a yard, special a yard $1.05

32 inch French Ginghams, all new patterns, worth 25c a yard, special a yard.....19c

25c all Linen Towels. You will find these the best wearing towels you ever bought, special, each19c

GRASS RUGS--Imported grass rugs size 27x54, colors blue, tan and green, worth $1.50, special at.....$1-23

KIMONO CREPES---new patterns worth 25c a yard, good quality, special a yard.....19c

19c figured Rice Cloths, beautiful patterns in the new floral designs, special a yard.....15c

Ladies' and Children's Black Hose, 15c values for a pair..10c

A selection of best quality Percales in light grounds, 36 inches wide, worth 15c, special a yard at.....10c

LACE CURTAINS
$2.00 values, a pair..$1.25
$2.50 values, a pair..$1.95
$3.00 values. a pair..$2.35

Ladies' summer weight Union Suits, sizes 40, 42 and 44 only, worth 35c, special a suit....25c

40c Ladies Fibre Silk Hose, colors black and white, special 35c a pair or three pairs for..$1.00

BRASS CURTAIN RODS with silver corrugated ends, worth 10c special 7c

All linen torchion lace, 2 to 4 inches wide, worth 5c a yard, special a yard 3c

W. B. Corsets, any style we have worth $1.50 reduced..$1.28

White Middies, sizes 16 to 18, worth $1.00 special for.....85c

36 inch Messaline Silk, worth $1.00 a yard, assortment of colors special a yard 84c

White Outing Flannel, worth 12½c a yard, good heavy weight special a yard.....10c

TOUL DU NORD Ginghams, new Spring patterns, worth 15c a yard, special a yard.....12c

HOUSE DRESSES—A good assortment of house dresses will be sold very cheap Friday and Saturday. Prices and qualities are too many to quote here but we guarantee we will give you good values at reduced prices.

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Special Sale of Dresses

SILK DRESSES, WOOL DRESSES, POPLIN DRESSES— Worth up to $8.75, ALL NEW STYLES. THIS SPECIAL LOT NOW FOR, YOUR CHOICE

only $5.48

Haines THE BUSY STORE WITH LITTLE PRICES Haines

NAGUABO SCHOOLS BURN.

Maryville Teacher Has Unusual Experience at Porto Rico.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lyle, who live south of the city have received word from their daughter, Miss Floy, who is teaching in the government schools of Porto Rico, that the town, Naguabo, in which she is teaching, was almost entirely destroyed by fire about a month ago.

The entire business portion of Naguabo, excepting one store, and including all school buildings was a total loss. None of the school property was saved, the fire destroying the buildings and all equipment incident to school work, all of which was the property of the government.

Miss Lyle is in charge of the home economics department in addition to several high school subjects, and in her department the loss was most keenly felt. All sewing machines and oil stoves were burned, and in addition the girls of the department lost a great many garments which had just been completed in the sewing classes. The authorities of Naguabo rented such quarters as could be obtained and within two days all departments, except the home economics, resumed work. The school employs thirty teachers.

Miss Lyle began work last September. The house, where she makes her home was saved by a small margin. The occupants had removed all their property and Miss Lyle as well as the others suffered no loss.

When People Ask Us
what is good for nerves and lost weight, we always recommend
Rexall Olive Oil Emulsion
containing Hypophosphites
a food tonic and tissue builder.
Orear-Henry Drug Co.

Dwight Davis of Hughes township was in Maryville today on business and also to serve on the petit circuit court jury.

INCREASED DEPOSITS.

State Bank Examiner Mitchell's Report Shows $16,446,060.47 Increase.

Resources of state banks and trust companies in Missouri increased about $20,000,000, deposits increased $16,446,060.47, and loans and discounts decreased $3,746,303.61 between October 21, 1914, and March 4, 1915, according to figures obtained from State Bank Examiner Mitchell.

The October report of the bank commissioner showed a heavy decrease in deposits, an increase in loans and a decrease in the resources of the state banks and trust companies. The reversal of those conditions he regards as a hopeful financial sign.

Mitchell's figures are based upon the returns made by the state banks and trust companies at the close of business March 4. The increases for the period, approximately five months, he regards as phenomenal.

The total deposits, including individual, time, savings and demand deposits, on March 4 were $335,181,376. On October 21, 1914, the total deposits were $318,735,316.

During the period under consideration the capital of the banks increased $1,490,825 and their surplus and undivided profits $2,196,998. Bills payable decreased $3,018,823.

The total loans on March 4 by state banks and trust companies were $235,425,482, a decrease of $3,746,303 since October 21, 1914. The total capital stock increased from $56,532,860 to $58,023,085. The undivided profits totaled on March 4, $15,301,185.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

CHICHESTER S PILLS
THE DIAMOND BRAND.
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chi-ches-ter-s Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHI-CHES-TER-S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 38 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

PULLMAN CARS WELL CLEANED.

Sanitation and Cleanliness of Railroad Coaches Described by Government.

In a report dealing with the migration of tuberculous persons in interstate traffic recently issued by the United States public health service, the manner of cleaning and disinfecting Pullman cars, day coaches, mail and baggage cars, is described.

Not only is formaldehyde gas used as a disinfectant, but soap and hot water are liberally used as a means of mechanical cleansing. Dust is removed from the carpets, upholstered seats and interior of the cars by means of compressed air which has been found to be the most efficient means for this purpose.

Fresh air and sunlight which are among the best disinfecting agents we have, are also utilized as a further means of cleaning the blankets, mattresses and curtains used in Pullman cars.

In addition to the cleaning and disinfection of railroad coaches the use of individual drinking cups, drinking water of a required standard of purity, individual towels and dental lavoratories are all factors which make traveling by railroad not only more agreeable but safer.

The Stylish PARISIAN

THIS pump shows style and neatness in a marked degree. Has the jet button effect on toe, single strap and gaiter pattern dull kid insert. Parisian last, straight Cuban heel and a light welt.

Fits the Arch
$4.50

Montgomery Shoe Co
THE LADIES' SHOE STORE

Let us Show You This Pump

Every Man Ready For New Spring Clothing

See our exceptional values in Collegian Suits and other standard Suits. We are sure that we can fit you out in the very suit you want and at a price which will please you.
Ties, Shirts, Collars, Socks, Hats and anything else in the clothing line we have waiting for you.
Our values in dress Shirts and work Shirts are exceptional. Come in and look them over even if you don't intend to buy just now.

M. NUSBAUM

No Paint— No Repairs— Just Wear— Use PEARL for Screens—

What's the use of screening with a wire cloth you know will have to be repaired, repainted or renewed in a season or two at most?

Practice *real* economy. Screen with genuine Gilbert & Bennett PEARL Wire Cloth. Rust, *not* wear, ruins screens. PEARL Wire Cloth is as near rust-proof as metal can be made and consequently as near wear-proof as a screen can be.

GILBERT & BENNETT
Pearl WIRE CLOTH
For Screening Doors, Windows and Porches
Made in Two Weights— *Regular and Extra Heavy*

Smooth surfaced and with metallic lustre, PEARL is beautiful as a screen can be. Easy on the eyes and less visible the longer it's used.

Don't be deceived. There can not be a "just the same as PEARL." The manufacture and application of the non-crack, non-chip coating from which it derives its wonderful rust-resisting qualities is a secret process, the exclusive property of the company.

We sell genuine PEARL Wire Cloth with two Copper Wires in the Selvage and the Round Tag bearing the Gilbert & Bennett name on each roll.

Hudson and Welch
NORTH SIDE HARDWARE

GOLD DUST

—it actually works at hundreds of tasks daily

"Let the Gold Dust Twins do your work" is much more than a popular phrase. It is based on truth, an actuality, for Gold Dust really *works*.

The millions of women who use it for dishwashing and scrubbing know this. But Gold Dust should be used for cleaning and brightening *everything*.

It is the only washing and cleaning powder needed in any home.

The small quantity required is quickly taken up by hot or cold, hard or soft water—forming a perfect cleaning solution. The valuable antiseptic cleansing agent it contains helps to make things sanitarily clean, as well as bright and new-looking.

5c and larger packages sold everywhere

"Let the GOLD DUST TWINS do your work"

THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY MAKERS

SOCIETY AND CLUBLAND

KATE SCHENCK

Phones—Office 62 Home 688

April Weather.

If you could have a perfect day
To dream of when your life were done,
Would you choose one all clear, all gay—
If you could have a perfect day—
The airs above the wide green way
Sheer virgin blue with crystal sun?—
If you could have a perfect day
To dream of when your life were done.
Or would you have it April's way,
Haphazard rain, haphazard sun,
Divine and sordid, clear and gray,
Dyed like these hours' own work and play;
All shot with stains of tears and clay,
Haphazard pain, haphazard fun—
If you could have a perfect day
To dream of when your life were done?

—Edith Wyatt in the Poetry Magazine.

Dinner Party.

Misses Chloe and Ethel Dick were the complimentary guests of a dinner party given at noon today by Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kidd and daughter, Ethel, of Bedison.

Mrs. Barry to Entertain.

Mrs. Raymond Barry of North Mulberry street will entertain the Homemakers class at her home tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. Wright Hostess.

Mrs. U. S. Wright entertained the members of the Penelope club with a kensington and tea at her home yesterday afternoon. Guests present other than the club members were Mrs. Frank Roelofson and Mrs. Lester Bennett. During the entertaining hours Mrs. Wright was assisted by her daughter, Miss Gertrude Wright.

Meeting Postponed.

The meeting of the home department of the Parent-Teachers association which was to have been held Friday has been postponed until Monday afternoon of next week, when it will meet at the home of Mrs. Martin Borrusch, 114 North Main street. The postponement is made on account of the funeral services of Loren Jones.

Celebrates Birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Thompson of Parnell, entertained a number of the small friends of their daughter, Georgia, Sunday afternoon to celebrate the little girl's seventh birthday. The children present were Gretchen Bishop, Bertha Long, Veronica Hall, Kathleen Jones, Pauline Jones, Bertha Urit, Edna Walters, Clara Taylor, Wayne Thompson, Frederick Breit and Clarence Hutchison. Other guests present were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hutchison, Mrs. Mary Thompson, Miss Ethel Muse and Miss Jane Barnett.

Keith-Anderson.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Mary Taylor Keith and Assistant City Attorney Jesse E. Anderson of Kansas City, which took place yesterday morning at the winter home of the Keiths in New Orleans, La. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson will be at home in Kansas City after April 18. The groom is the son of Mrs. B. F. Anderson, formerly of Maryville, now living in Kansas City.

Mrs. Colby Hostess.

Mrs. James Colby presided at an attractively appointed luncheon given yesterday afternoon at her home, when she entertained about twenty guests in compliment to her sister, Mrs Paul Ream of Kansas City. Mrs. Joseph Jackson, Jr., assisted the hostess in entertaining her guests.

City Federation Elects.

Mrs. George H. Colbert was elected president of the City Federation for the coming year at a meeting of the Federation members held yesterday afternoon. The other officers chosen were Mrs. W. C. Van Cleve, first vice president; Mrs. Berney Harris, second vice president; Miss Jessie Parcher, recording secretary; Mrs. W. A. Miller, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Walter Mutz, treasurer, and Mrs. R. L. McDougal, auditor. Following the election of officers the matter of joining the state federation was brought up and the requirements for so doing complied with, making it now a member of the state federation. The city federation was formulated in 1913. The remainder of the session was devoted to minor matters of business. Just before adjournment Mrs. C. C. Corwin, retiring president, was presented with a handsome bouquet of carnations and jonquils as an appreciative recognition of her services during the past year.

Clyde Couple to Wed.

Godfrey Wederholt, 30 years old, and Mary A. Miller, 32 years old, both of Clyde, were granted a license to marry in the office of the recorder of deeds late yesterday afternoon. They are to be married in the Old Conception church next Wednesday morning

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Houston of Stanberry arrived in Maryville last night for a few days visit with Mr. Houston's sister, Mrs. G. A. Nash.

Something real useful has been found for Boy Scouts to do. In the Eastern cities it is proposed they work in harmony with the Wild Bird Protective Association, by learning the life of the birds and aid in protecting them from cats, snakes and other dangers.

HUERTA TO ARRIVE IN U. S. SATURDAY

Believed Former Dictator Comes to Plot New Revolution.

Washington, April 8.—Official announcement that Victoriano Huerta, late Mexican dictator, was on his way from Spain to the United States was received at the state department from the American consul at Seville. Huerta recently sailed on the steamer Antonio Lopez, due to arrive at New York on Saturday. It will be his first visit to the United States, his defiance of which last year in the stirring months before he voluntarily went into exile, led to the American occupation of Vera Cruz.

Just what the purpose of Huerta's visit may be is unknown to officials, but it is believed he intends to promote another revolution in Mexico.

William Huttig Is Dead.

Muscatine, Ia., April 8.—William Huttig, a pioneer sash and door manufacturer of Iowa is dead at his home here of pneumonia. He was born in Saxony, Feb. 5 1836.

ITALIAN WARSHIPS IN STRIXING DISTANCE

Rome, April 8.—The warships of the Italian fleet departed suddenly from the Mediterranean naval stations at Spezia, Gaeta and Magdalena island. They concentrated at Augusta, Sicily, and at Taranto. They are within a few hours of the Adriatic.

The departure of these warships caused a profound impression, particularly at Spezia, where until last Sunday the harbor was crowded with dreadnoughts, cruisers and torpedo boat destroyers, while the town was filled with officers and sailors.

Italy now has the finest fleet in its history. It is headed by several new dreadnoughts, of which the most formidable is the Contente di Cavour, which corresponds in the Italian navy to Great Britain's Queen Elizabeth.

The future movements of the fleet are veiled with absolute secrecy. It is asserted that only the king and one or two of the highest government officers are acquainted with the plans decided upon.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury

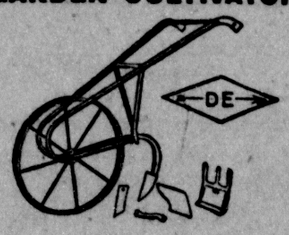
as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by Druggists. Price, 75c. per bottle.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The Rugby

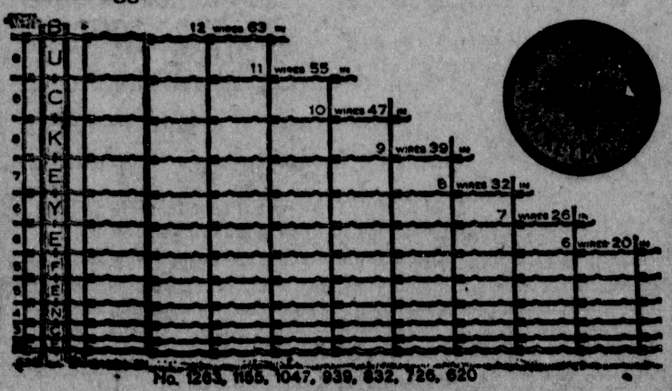
IS equipped with one year guaranteed tires, and coaster brake. Also is built on the latest approved lines of Bicycle construction that makes it the most beautiful and durable Bicycle on the market. Let us show you its points of merit.

DIAMOND EDGE GARDEN CULTIVATOR



The D. E. Garden Plow is built to run easy and for durability and the approval of satisfied used users is proof of its merit. Complete for **$2.25.**

The Old Trusty is the most satisfactory incubator because it hatches the greatest per centage of fertile eggs.


BUCKEYE
12 wires 63 in
11 wires 55 in
10 wires 47 in
9 wires 39 in
8 wires 32 in
7 wires 26 in
6 wires 20 in
No. 1263, 1155, 1047, 839, 632, 726, 620

Have it in all standard heights, the wire is very heavy galvanized and runs full size, top and bottom. No. 9 intermediate and stay wires No. 11. Let us show you the lasting qualities of the BUCKEYE HINGED STAY FENCE. Also a full line of Lawn Fence and Gates. Rabbit, Poultry and Garden Fence.

H. C. Bower

WEST SIDE HARDWARE

In This List of Bargains

We Have Arranged so Sell

FRIDAY

You are Nearly Certain to Locate Articles You Need.

Every Order Given Us Will Have Careful Attention

LOOSE WILES SUNSHINE BRAND

Finest English Style Biscuits—40c pkgs. assorted 5 kinds for 20c
25c pkgs. assorted; 2 kinds for 15c
These are the top quality picked from the entire line

Ben Davis Apples, bushel $1.25
Quaker Corn Meal, 2 pkgs 15c
2 pkgs Post Toasties for 15c
Boneless skinned Herring, smoked, small fish, lb 20c
10c pkgs Dates, Excelsior brand, 2 for 15c
No. 1 Celery, bunch 10c
Quaker Pearl Hominy, 10c pkgs, 4 for 25c
Puffed Wheat, Corn or Rice, pkg 12c
5c per lb choice Seed Sweet Potatoes.
½-gallon 25c can Table Syrup for .. 18c
1-lb tall cans Pink Salmon, 10c; per dozen $1.05
No. 1 cans finest Red Alaska Salmon, .. 17c; dozen $1.85
New Southern Cabbage, 7 lbs 25c

SEED POTATOES

Minnesota Red River Ohios, bushel $1.10
2 bushel in each sack
The Quality Extra Good
Southern Grown Early Ohios, bushel $1.10
2½ bushel in each sack

Choice Northern Grown Table Potatoes, bushel 70c
2½-bushel sack for $1.60
10 lbs Turnips 25c
10c each for choice Mackerel or Lake Fish.
12½c per lb for Alaska Salmon, large fish.
5 lbs fine Granulated Sugar for ... 25c
(Must be included with grocery order.)
10c pkgs California Layer Figs, 2 for 15c
Large Grape Fruit, 6 for 25c
Cotton Mops, 24-oz, 35c size, for ... 25c
16-oz, 25c size, for 18c
New shipment Codfish, 1-lb bricks, 3 for 25c
Sugar Cured Hams, skin removed, per lb 14½c
Picnic Hams, 7 to 8 lbs 10c
Morrell's Fancy Breakfast Bacon, lean and mild cured, reduced to 20c
Good fresh Parsnips, 3 lbs 25c
25c Tuna Fish, can 19c
15c Tuna Fish, can 12c
California Sardines, very large, cans packed in tomato, Mustard or soused, 25c cans cut to 15c
Green Onions and Radishes 5c
Fresh Peas, gallon 20c
Quart Sweet Spiced Bulk Pickles .. 15c
Gallon medium sized beat Sour Pickles for 30c
Two 10c bottles Horseradish 15c

Townsend's

Fourth and Main Streets.

Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co.

WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

New Special

For Friday and Saturday Only

WE have arranged seasonable merchandise in the various departments at special prices for FRIDAY and SATURDAY selling. The offerings are all new spring arrivals, and will prove an opportunity worth while.

Ready-to-Wear Apparel

Ladies Spring Coats—Entire stock of $30, $25, and $22.50 values in new spring coats for Friday and Saturday only, at $20.00

Tailored Suits—$37.50 values in the latest styles, special at $32.50. $35, and $32.50 values, entire line included, Friday and Saturday at $30.00

New Wash Waists—A large assortment of new style wash waists in crepe, Voile and Flaxon, $1.50 and $1.25 values at only 98c

Millinery Special

New Spring Hats—Assorted lot of new styles in values to $5.00 for Friday and Saturday selling at each $2.95

Home Furnishings

Tapestry Brussels Rugs—$20 and $18.50 values in 11-3 by 12 and 10-6 by 12 assorted patterns, Friday and Saturday at $16.50

9 x 12 Tapestry Brussels Rugs, variety of patterns, $13.50 values, special at $11.00

Lace Curtains—Nottingham Lace Curtains in white and Ecru, 2½ and 3 yards long by 48 inches wide, plain centers with elaborate border, $1.25 values for Friday and Saturday, the pair 98c

75c quality Nottingham lace curtains 2½ yards long by 34 inches wide, special at the pair 48c

Center Aisle

Kid Gloves—We offer for Friday and Saturday selling our entire stock of $1.25 quality kid gloves in black, white and colors, at the pair $1.00

Ladies Handkerchiefs—Dainty linen and linene handkerchiefs in rolled hem embroidered corners and hemstitched borders 19c values, Friday and Saturday at 15c

Hair Pins—Rubber and Celluloid hair pins, assorted colors, 19c and 15c values at the box, 10c; 25c quality at the box 19c

West Aisle Specials

Dainty Embroidery—assorted lot of fine Swiss and cambric embroidery, 4 to 8 inches width, assorted designs, values to 75c at the yard 10c

Gauze Vests—Extra value in ladies gauze vests "Korect Kut," (cannot slip off the shoulders) 15c quality at .. 11c

Pure Silk Hose—Women's black silk hose with high spliced heel and triple thread toe, assorted sizes, 50c value at the pair 39c

East Aisle Specials

Bed Spreads—Good, heavy quality spreads in fringed and scalloped with cut corners, 81 x 90 inches, $2.25 grade at only $1.79

Dress Ginghams—Scotch Zephyr Ginghams in good variety of patterns, 18c and 15c values at 13½c

Remnants of Wool Dress Goods—Large assortment of dress goods remnants in skirt lengths and other good, usable lengths. To close these out quickly we offer them at 33 1-3c on the dollar.

Silks—Special assortment of Foulard Cheney and Silk Poplin, values to $1.00, Friday and Saturday at the yard only 50c

Just received by express this morning for the Millinery Department a shipment of Pattern Hats in New Sailor Effects. Also a variety of Untrimmed Shapes.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—4,000. Market strong. Estimate tomorrow, 1,000.
Hogs—16,000. Market 5c higher; top, $7.00. Estimate tomorrow, 4,000.
Sheep—10,000. Market strong.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—3,000. Market strong.
Hogs—6,000. Market 5c higher; top, $6.82.
Sheep—4,000. Market strong.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,100. Market strong.
Hogs—7,300. Market 5c higher; top, $6.85.
Sheep—3,000. Market strong.

Ill With Typhoid.

Miss Mabel Eddy of Mound City, who has been attending the Normal, is ill at her home with typhoid fever. Miss Eddy went to her home last Thursday and has been ill since then.

Painting White Way Poles.

The green colored electric light poles which comprise Maryville's white way are being repainted green today by the Maryville Electric Light and Power company. There are eighty odd of them, and they are painted annually by the maintainers.

For Dandruff, we recommend

Rexall "93" Hair Tonic

Oscar-Henry Drug Co.

No Funds; Close Cox School.

The Cox rural school, west of Hopkins, has been closed on account of a lack of funds with which to carry out the term. Miss Bertha Cross, of Hopkins was teacher.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

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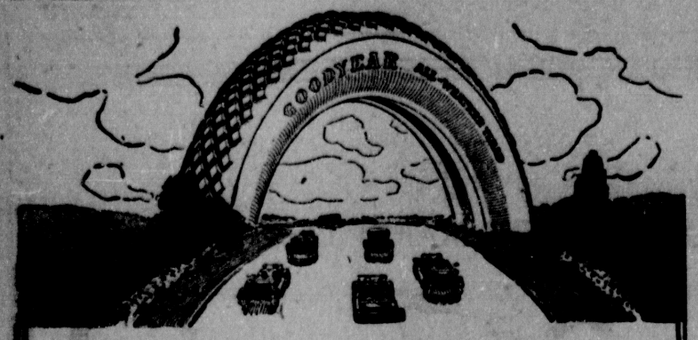
KESSLER'S

5, 10 and 25 cent Store

Don't Forget Our
Saturday Special
10 a. m.

Combinets, each 25c
Wash Bowls and Pitchers Complete 25c

Kessler's
WATCH OUR WINDOWS



The Broad Way
Leads to Goodyear Tires

Try it a little while. It has carried some 400,000 motorists to the haven of content. It is traveled by more users than has any other tire. That has been so for years.

We can't win you to Fortified Tires by asking you to try them. The tires themselves must win you.

But our plea is that you should try the tires that countless men found best. There must be a reason as you know, why Goodyears dominate like this. Last year men bought about one Goodyear for every car in use.

Men Like You

This Goodyear army is composed of men like you. They want quality, safety, endurance. They want trouble-saving and low cost per mile.

Goodyears best met these wants. They met them because they are Fortified Tires.

In five costly ways, employed by no other maker, they offer unique protection. They combat five troubles — rim-cuts, blowouts, loose treads, punctures and skidding—as is done in no other tire.

Price Reduction

On February 1st we made another big price reduction. That makes three reductions in two years, totaling 45 per cent.

Today Goodyears, more than ever before, offer you most for the money. They offer you the utmost possible in tires, measured by cost per mile. Doesn't their top place prove that? The following Goodyear Service Stations will supply you:

GOODYEAR AKRON, OHIO
Fortified Tires
No-Rim-Cut Tires—"On-Air" Cured
With All-Weather Treads or Smooth

Goodyear Service Stations--Tires in Stock

Barmann Auto Company - Maryville

NEARBY TOWNS

Campbell Hardware Company — Barnard
Bucker & Company - - Elmo
Shores & Yager - - - Pickering
Mutti & Brown - - - Hopkins
Ravenwood Auto Company - Ravenwood
Clearmont M. Company - Clearmont
Bailey & Griffey - Burlington Junction

QUITMAN.

James Young is recovering from an illness of several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McDonald and children spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Orcutt in Maryville.

W. M. Reed and family spent Sunday the guests of Robert Barrett, near Skidmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hammond and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hammond spent Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver King.

Claude Cantwell of Gassville, Ark., arrived last week and will be employed for the summer by W. M. Barry. He was accompanied by his brother, Arthur Cantwell, who will work for I. D. Tarpley.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Shrewsbury and Miss Dollie McDonald spent Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Linville.

Mr. and Mrs. Wroe Linville gave a dinner party Sunday, entertaining Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Kelley.

Miss Mamie Johnson of Stanberry arrived Monday for a visit with her uncle, John Hays, and family.

Miss Lora Stults spent Sunday with her parents at Skidmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davis and family and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Busch were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Hays.

Rev. T. M. Walton, who is attending school at Cedar Falls, Ia., spent Tuesday with his parents, living west of Maryville.

Dent Porter began work this week for Clarence Owens.

Mrs. J. W. Smith is visiting relatives in Elmo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnson and Arthur Prewitt spent Sunday with relatives in Quitman.

Watch Your Children

Often children do not let parents know they are constipated. They fear something distasteful. They will like Rexall Orderlies—a mild laxative that tastes like sugar. Sold only by us, 10 cents.

Orear-Henry Drug Co.

Visiting in Kansas City.

Mrs. May Mann went to Kansas City yesterday to visit friends until Friday.

Open Your Savings Account Now

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4% ON SAVINGS DEPOSITS

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J. D. BOLIN, Maryville, Mo.

ASKS THAT EITEL BE INTERNED

German Raider Will Be Held In U. S. Port Throughout War.

MEN MUST GIVE PLEDGES.

Navy Department Announces Converted Cruiser Will Be Taken to Norfolk Yard — Commander Thierichens Finds Dash to Sea Impossible.

Washington, April 8.—Commander Thierichens of the German auxiliary cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich informed the collector of customs at Newport News that he desired to intern his ship in American waters for the war.

The commander said he had been obliged to determine upon this course because relief, which would have made possible a dash for the sea, had failed to arrive.

It was announced at the navy department that the Eitel would be taken to the Norfolk navy yard for internment and its officers and crew bound not to participate further in the war.

Los Angeles Chief of Police Indicted.

Los Angeles, April 8.—Charles E. Sebastian, chief of police, was arraigned here on an indictment returned by the Los Angeles county grand jury, charging him with contributing to the delinquency of Edith Sarkin, the ward of Mrs. Lillie Pratt, who was indicted with Sebastian. It was agreed that the chief should plead to the charge Saturday. He was suspended at his request and said he would show the charge to be a political plot.

Card of Thanks.

We wish in this way to express our appreciation to all the friends who remembered us with many kind words and acts during the illness and death of our husband and father, John Kirch. —Mrs. John Kirch and Children.

The J. L. S. Fistula Remedy. Sold by J. L. Scott, Maryville, Mo., at $2.50 per bottle. Why keep a fistula or poll evil horse on the place. They are not worth a dollar unless they are cured. This medicine will do the work so get after them and cure them up.—Adv.

(First Insertion Apr. 1; last April 29.)

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned James B. Robinson, executor of the estate of James A. Yarnell, deceased, will make Final settlement of his accounts with said estate as such executor at the next term of the Probate court of Nodaway county, Missouri, to be holden at Maryville in said county, on the 10th day of May, A. D., 1915.

James B. Robinson,
Executor.

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A Bad Back is Usually Worse During Bad Weather.

Is your back like a barometer?

Does it foretell every change of weather?

Does every cold settle on your kidneys?

Bring aching, throbbing pains?

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Have you thought the kidneys may be calling for help.

Thousands recommend Doan's Kidney Pills.

Maryville testimony proves their worth.

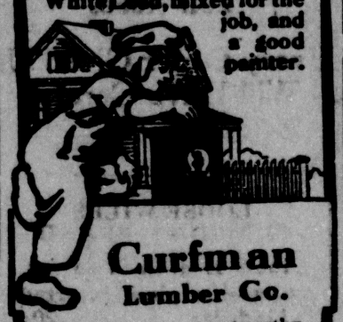
Mrs. A. Weidman, 403 E. Thompson street, Maryville, says: "I had dull, dragging pains through my kidneys. My kidneys were also irregular in action, especially if I took cold or at any change of the weather. I used different remedies, but with no success until I got Doan's Kidney Pills. In less than a month I was free from the trouble and without an ache or pain. I have recommended Doan's Kidney Pills to hundreds of people, and you may continue using my endorsement."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Weidman had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

To Live on Ranch.

Joseph Leech, who lives near Pickering, will leave Tuesday for Lewiston, Mont., where he will make his home on a ranch near there.

For Right House Painting—Dutch Boy White Lead, mixed for the job, and a good painter.



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will give you trustworthy advice about materials and will help select color schemes. Ful stock of oils, varnish, putty, stains, brushes, driers, colors, red lead and

Dutch Boy White Lead

Don't be like the man who had poor teeth and put off going to the dentist. He lost in satisfaction and in pleasure, and at the end of a two-year wait had to spend twice as much for repairs. Paint now while the painting is good. Call or telephone.

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We will be pleased to make estimates, draw plans and discuss house building with you.

Remember we do a general contracting business and all kinds of repair work. Our work speaks for itself.

Call either of us on Hanamo phone.

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The Engelmann Greenhouses
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GERMANS STEM RUSSIAN TIDE

Reinforcements Check Muscovite Invaders In Uzok Pass.

ELSEWHERE THE RUSSIANS GAIN

Czar's Forces Sweep Down Slopes of Beskid Mountains on Plains of Hungary—Another Big Battle Is Raging on French Soil.

WAR SUMMARY

The Russians, having carried the summits of the principal chain of the Beskid mountains, are moving down the slopes on the Hungarian side.

Farther west, beyond Laborcza, the Austrians apparently are holding the Slavs in check. This is believed due to German reinforcements.

Desperate fighting continues between the Moselle and the Meuse in France. The result is not decisive and the end of the battle is still far off. The losses are tremendous.

Sultan Mehmed of Turkey is convinced that the allies cannot force the Dardanelles. Field Marshal von Der Goltz has 1,250,000 trained men to guard against land invasion.

London, April 8.—The Russians, having carried the summits of the principal chain of the Beskid mountains in the western section, are coming down the rugged slopes to gain possession of the southern spurs, some of which they have already captured, according to the official statement from Russian headquarters.

Farther to the east, however, beyond the Laborcza valley, the Austrians apparently are holding the Russian troops in check.

Unquestionably heavy reinforcements have come to the support of both the opposing forces and the Austro-Hungarians now have added to their strength numerous German contingents, which are giving them powerful aid in checking the Russians' advance through Uzok pass, the only line of defense which the Russians have not succeeded in breaking.

Both the French and Germans tell of the bitter struggle which is going on between the rivers Meuse and Moselle in France, and the fight is by no means ended, although there are evidences that the losses on both sides are great.

The operations around Verdun were begun several days ago by the French, whose offensive was undertaken for the purpose of forcing back the German line at St. Mihiel. Claims are made by both of important successes, which can be reconciled by the fact that the official statements issued bear respectively on different points of the line. The one thing certain is that wherever an advance is made the price is paid.

SURPRISE ATTACK FAILS

Ice Is Broken by German Shells and Russian Soldiers Drown.

Koenigsberg, April 8.—The difficulties with which the opposing forces in East Prussia have had to contend during the winter months are described by a Prussian soldier who has been through the long campaign. His company was entrenched near one of the Masurian lakes, when three Russian companies attempted a surprise attack by creeping over the ice. The assault was discovered and repelled, and the Germans were able to annihilate every member of the Russian force without leaving the trenches by the simple expedient of breaking up the ice with heavy shells, so that their opponents drowned.

House of Marshall Looted by Burglars.

Indianapolis, April 8.—The home here of Thomas R. Marshall, vice president of the United States, has been entered by burglars. Vice President and Mrs. Marshall are visiting relatives of Mrs. Marshall in Scottsdale, Ariz., where they went after Mr. Marshall had represented President Wilson at the dedication of the Panama-Pacific exposition at San Francisco. It has not been learned whether anything of value had been taken.

War Forces Up Wages in England.

London, April 8.—Members of the house of commons who have been investigating recent labor troubles in various parts of Great Britain have received several complaints from manufacturers that the extremely high wages paid by the war office is one of the great difficulties with which they have to deal.

Aviators Attack Military Train.

Geneva, April 8.—Two French aviators pursued a German military train from Masbach to Villingen in the Black forest. They damaged the railway and stations along the line. On their returned they dropped bombs at Muelheim and Neuborg.

Connecticut House Rejects Suffrage.

Hartford, Conn., April 8.—A proposed constitutional amendment giving women the right of suffrage was rejected by the Connecticut house of representatives, 124 to 106.

Von Hindenburg in New Job.

Paris, April 8.—The Temps says it is learned from Berlin that Field Marshal von Hindenburg will leave the eastern for the western front this week.

HOW "TIZ" GLADDENS TIRED, ACHING FEET

Don't Stay Footsick! Don't Have Sore, Puffed-Up, Sweaty, Calloused, Feet or Burning Corns.

Ah! what relief. No more tired feet; no more burning feet; no more swollen, bad smelling, sweaty feet. No more pain in corns, callouses or bunions. No matter what ails your feet or what under the sun you've tried without getting relief, just use "TIZ."

"TIZ" is the only remedy that draws out all the poisonous exudations which puff up the feet; "TIZ" is magical; "TIZ" is grand; "TIZ" will cure your foot troubles so you'll never limp or draw up your face in pain. Your shoes won't seem tight and your feet will never, never hurt or get sore, swollen or tired. Think of it, no more foot misery; no more burning corns, callouses or bunions.

Get a 25-cent box at any drug store or department store, and get instant relief. Get a whole year's foot relief for only 25 cents. Think of it!

LETTER LIST.

Following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed in the Maryville, Mo., postoffice for the week ending Wednesday, April 7th, 1915.

Men.

Ashford, Arthur
Boyer, Ernest
Boyer, Theo.
Cassell, M. F.
Cooper, H. B.
Driscall, J. H.
Heck, J. C.
Holt, J. J.
Maier, F. J.
Padula, J.
Sheney, C. L.
Shettnick, Mr. (Insurance Man.)
Simpson, C. L.

Women.

Black, Miss Euna
Cramer, Mrs. Will
Darcy, Miss Flora
Maryville, Mrs.
Rapier, Mrs. I. C.
Robinson, Miss A.
Scott, Miss Elizabeth
Thomas, Miss Gertrude
Wells, Miss J. M.

Persons calling for the above named letters will please say "advertised."

JAMES TODD, Postmaster.

Diamonds and other precious stones worth $3,500,000 are smuggled into this country every month, defrauding the government of $700,000 duty, according to the best estimates.

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Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.
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FOR SALE
Some Slightly Used
CARS
At Wilderman's Garage

CONKLIN & TINDALL,
COMPETENT PLUMBERS AND STEAM FITTERS.
Satisfaction Guaranteed. Always awake. 208 West Third Street. Hanamo phone 282.

Work Mules For Sale

15 PAIR WORK MULES
3 to 5 years old
can give time if desired

Chas. H. Roach
Farmers Phone Bedison, Mo.

DEMOCRAT-FORUM

WANT ADS

For Results. For Results.

Classified ads running three days or more one-half cent per word for each insertion minimum rate 25c for three days. Interrupted insertions 1 cent a word for each insertion.

For Rent.

FOR RENT—Two furnished downstairs rooms, men preferred, at 522 North Market. Call Hanamo 3344. 8-10

FOR RENT—7-room house, modern except furnace, at 521 South Main. Good barn. Call Hanamo 3344. 8-10

FOR RENT—The armory hall, in the Holt building, east side of square. Reasonable. See Bud Knox. 8-10

FOR RENT—3 or 4 rooms for light housekeeping; unfurnished. 415 West Ninth street. Hanamo 6217. 6-12

FOR RENT—Two large furnished rooms, closets, steam heat, running water. 1417 East Third. 6-8

FOR RENT—10 acres, house, barn, 4 acres hog pasture, 5 acres plowed, some fruit, very cheap rent. Yeo, 413 North Main. 5-10

Miscellaneous.

Thoroughbred Black Langshans exclusively. Eggs, 15, 50c; 100, $3.00; 200, $5.00. Jennie Roberts, route 5, Stanberry, Mo. 7-20

WANTED—Experienced girl wants general housework in good family. 713 North Walnut. 7-9

FOR SALE—Team, harness and wagon. See E. E. Tilton. 8-14

WANTED—Tatting orders for collars, trimmings, etc. Lila Tabler, Mutual phone 6-11. 6-8

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

SUDAN GRASS—Free from Johnson, oughed for hybirds. 40c lb; 5 or more 30c lb. Elmer Fraser. 2-8.

PURE BRED S. C. Buff Orpington eggs for limited time at $1.00 setting of 16; $5.00 for 100. Mrs. Dillard R. Palmer, route 1, Mutual phone F35-13. 8-10

GOING SOME—Sudan, Sudan, Sudan, 25c pound; Dwarf Essex Rape, 12½c pound; Amber Cane, 90c bushel; Red Clover, very beautiful, $9.75 bushel. "Of Course" Holt for High Prices. 5-10

Sudan. Sudan. What's the matter with Susie. "She sartinly am goin' some." But you know Happy Hooligan hasn't found his best man yet. Better stop and get some at 20 cents a pound as you pass the seedy man on east side square and he might show you some thing else if you're not in a hurry. The Seedy Man, R. S. Braniger. 7-10.

For Sale.

FOR SALE—2 work horses, some Jersey cows and heifers. Mrs. M. C. Gates, Hanamo phone 60ZW. 8-10

FOR SALE—Barred Rock eggs for hatching. M. C. Thompson, Farmer's phone 219. 7-9.

FOR SALE—Hay, cows, male calf, brood gilt. W. D. Hoshor, Barnard phone. 6-8

FOR SALE—My old residence, 8 rooms, with plumbing, screens and electric wiring. Will sell cheap if bought and removed at once. Berney Harris. 6-8

FOR SALE—Johnson Co., White and Reid's Yellow Dent Seed corn, 100 per cent test at Columbia. M. C. Thompson, Farmer's phone 219. 2-15.

FOR SALE—Strawberry plants, 300 for $1, strictly new beds, guaranteed true to name. J. A. Clark, route 3, Farmers' phone 37-13. 1-14.

Poultry Column

FOR SALE — Thoroughbred Buff Orpington eggs. $1.00 for settings. $5.00 per hundred. Chicks for sale. Good winter layers, big bone. Phone Farmers 23-0-12. Route 7. Mrs. Ed Walker.

S. C. RHODE ISLAND REDS, The utility breed. Eggs 50c per setting; $3.00 per hundred. Phone 37-13 Farmers. Route 3. Mrs. J. A. Clark.

S. C. Brown Leghorns exclusively. Fine layers. Eggs, $3.00 for 100. Mrs. J. R. Evans, Maryville, Mo., route 7. Mutual phone 15-13. 22.

FOR SALE—S. C. Rhode Island Reds. Eggs, 15 for 50 cents; 100 for $3.00. Mrs. John Lockhart, Wilcox. Mutual phone 12-22, Maryville.

DAILY DEMOCRAT-FORUM

LARGEST CIRCULATION OF ANY DAILY PAPER IN ANY MISSOURI TOWN OF 5,000 POPULATION.

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BIG JURY INDICTS 20; HALF GAMING

INQUISITORS "SWEAT" 49 IN 3 DAYS SESSION.

BEGIN ARRESTS AT ONCE

Those Nabbed Will Be Arraigned in Circuit Court Monday—Maryville Men in "Net," Reported.

Twenty indictments out of approximately forty complaints investigated were returned by the grand jury in its report to the circuit court at 9 o'clock this morning, after a continuous session of three days. In that time the twelve jurors and prosecuting attorney "sweated" forty-nine persons, most of them being from the vicinities of Conception Junction, Clyde, Burlington Junction, Clearmont and Maryville. Eugene Rathbun was foreman of the jury.

Of the twenty "true" bills returned by the inquisitors, about half were for alleged gaming, several on charges of liquor violations, and a couple for disturbances of the peace of person and in public meetings. tI is said one was returned for alleged state law violations relative to carnal knowledge.

Maryville Men in It?

Of the twenty indictments four were against Maryville residents, it is said, and the remainder distributed through the vicinities of Burlington Junction, Skidmore, Conception Junction, Clyde and Clearmont. Several of those indicted are charged on more than one count.

The county authorities began making arrests of persons indicted this afternoon, and all are expected to be in custody by Saturday night. Those arrested by that time will be arraigned before Circuit Judge William C. Ellison next Monday morning and pleas entered.

Those denying guilt will probably be tried during this April term of court, according to Prosecutor W. G. Sawyers.

No Visit to County Homes.

The men composing the grand jury were lauded by county authorities for their work and minute examination of witnesses brought before the inquisitorial body. The grand jury called in January, 1914, however, returned more than 100 indictments, although many of them were for more than one count against a person.

No inspection of the county jail, county farm or court house was made by the grand jury this time. One reason was because John G. Thornhill, former presiding judge of the county court, was a member of the jury and was well informed as to conditions in the county institutions.

These Testified.

Those who testified before the grand jury during its three days inquisition were:

Clearmont—Charles Jacobson, Otis Linville, Mrs. W. W. Crigger, Harold Koger, Walter Williams, Miss Ethel Bush, B. H. Kinder, R. D. Blain, Miss Lura Porterfield, J. A. Huls.

Burlington Junction — John R. Graves, Ben Pitts, J. A. Barr, Mrs. Clyde Fox, A. B. Trasper, R. D. Irvin, Mrs. John Lewis, Peter Lewis, C. O. Fox, W. C. Risser, Charles Thacker, Charles Dewyre, Dewey Leonard, Baker Hutson, James T. Hutson, John D. Smith, Charles Childress.

Conception Junction—Clarence Binter, A. J. Binter, Orley Wilcox, James Walsh, T. E. Archer, Albert McDonald, John Klepping.

Clyde—Allie Schaaf, Leo King, C. H. Schaaf, Joseph Caddell, Albert Caddell.

Skidmore—E. C. Pruett.

Maryville—Virgil Clowser, Fount Beeman, W. C. Evans, James Milton, John Williams.

Dawson—C. A. Race, Jesse Whittington.

Elmo—F. M. Walton.

Guilford—Miss Roxie Young.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

APPOINT ROAD OVERSEERS

Township Board Places Each of 9 on $500 Bond—Levy Tax April 14.

The appointment of road overseers for Polk township, which was made yesterday afternoon by the township board, as reported in yesterday's Democrat-Forum, will be followed up Wednesday, April 14, by the levying of taxes in Polk township. This meeting also will be held in the rear of the Real Estate bank.

The road overseers are to be placed under $500 bond each, and each will receive regular pay of 25 cents per hour. An inventory of the tools and road working equipment in their possession must be turned in soon.

The road overseers appointed were: District No. 1, A. R. Robinson; district No. 2, Joseph Pfeiffer; district No. 3, Mike Sherlock; district No. 4, John Halasey; district No. 5, Clark Scott; district No. 6, Henry Seipel; district No. 7, Andrew McKillop; district No. 8, Walter Coulter; district No. 9, D. M. Pike.

WABASH OFFICIALS GO THROUGH.

New Railroad head and Assistants Make Tour of Lines.

A special train of three sleepers, conveying Wabash officials over the St. Louis-Omaha line for an inspection, passed through Maryville at 12.45 o'clock this afternoon. A short stop was made.

Those comprising the inspection party were Edward Kearney of St. Louis, new president of the Wabash; Edward B. Pryor of St. Louis, receiver; T. J. Jones of Moberly, division superintendent; J. T. Sheehan of Moberly, engineer of maintenance and way; W. H. Eckard of Stanberry, trainmaster; J. P. Holmburg of Stanberry, roadmaster.

HOLD JONES RITES FRIDAY.

Body Arrived from Knowlton This Morning—Services at Westbrook Home.

The funeral services for Loren Jones, who died Saturday at Knowlton, Mont., will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mr. Jones' brother-in-law, Prof. W. M. Westbrook, 625 West First street.

The services will be conducted by the Rev. Lewis M. Hale, pastor of the First Baptist church. The burial will be in Miriam cemetery.

The body arrived from Knowlton this morning. It was accompanied by Mrs. Jones and two children, Mrs. J. L. Jones, the mother of Mr. Jones, who had been visiting at Long Beach, Cal., and W. H. George of Knowlton.

SKIDMORE SCHOOL THE BEST.

Is Advanced from Second to First Class, Following State Inspection.

The Skidmore high school has been advanced from a second class to a first class high school, according to an announcement made by the department of education at Jefferson City. The Hopkins high school still remains as a first class high school and the Pickering high school as a third class high school. The Farnell high school will be approved as a third class high school whenever it secures additional library and laboratory equipment.

An inspection of these schools was made recently by F. C. Irwin, the high school inspector.

NORMAL REGENT MAY DIE.

Leo Phipps, Grant City, Very Ill—Relatives Here to Bedside.

Judge Leo Phipps of Grant City, a member of the board of regents of the State Normal school, has been taken seriously ill again and his recovery is not expected, according to word received here this morning. Ira J. Phipps, a brother, and A. O. Mason, a brother-in-law, both living here, have been summoned to Judge Phipps' bedside. He is suffering from pneumonia and a complication of diseases.

Judge Phipps' term on the regent board does not expire until 1919. He has been interested in educational work many years, was prosecuting attorney of Worth county several years, has been secretary of th eschool board there fifteen years and a leader in all civic movements.

TONIGHT

TWO REEL KEYSTONE COMEDY
"HUSHING THE SCANDAL"
ONE REEL KEYSTONE COMEDY
"CAUGHT IN THE LARK"
REGULAR PROGRAM WELL SELECTED

Empire Theatre

WHERE COMFORT IS COUPLED WITH PLEASURE
Your Choice Is Mine — Lower Floor 10c
a Nickle or a Dime — Balcony - 5c

3 SHOT BY TENANTS

PARNELL FARMER MAY DIE AS RESULT ATTEMPTED REJECTION.

OPEN FIRE ON INVADERS

Son and Employe Aid Frank Haas, Tenant, to Resist Removal by Al Waldier, Administrator.

Al Waldier, a farmer living five miles south of Parnell, is lying at the point of death at his home, and his son, Al Waldier, Jr., and William Pollard are both seriously wounded as the result of a shooting affair at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the Alex McCracken farm, six miles southwest of Grant City, when the three men were attacked by Frank Haas, his son, Carter Haas, and Fred Willis, a hired man in the employ of Haas.

Mr. Waldier, accompanied by his son and young Pollard, went to the McCracken farm yesterday afternoon to confer with Haas about the tenancy for this year. Mr. Waldier, Sr., is administrator of the McCracken estate. He went there to look after the work and to put a new tenant on the farm, in the place of Frank Haas, who had been the lessee. He claimed that he was still entitled to the renting of the farm for this year.

Meet Invaders With Guns.

Haas and his son and the hired man, Willis, armed with shotguns, it is said, met the Waldier party, and after the exchange of a few words, one of the Haas crowd opened fire. After the first shot, which struck Mr. Waldier, Sr., inflicting only a slight wound in his shoulder, the others engaged in a fistic encounter, the armed ones using their guns as weapons.

The elder Waldier was struck several times over the head with the butt of a gun, wielded by one of the attacking party, inflicting critical wounds. He also received other serious injuries.

He was hurried to his home where he remains in a precarious state. He has been in an unconscious condition since yesterday, and the indications for his recovery are very slight.

Shooting Follows Litigation.

Young Waldier and Pollard were both badly bruised and cut but neither are in a serious condition.

The trouble regarding the tenancy of the farm began with Frank Haas some time ago and before the death of Alex McCracken. The matter was taken by McCracken and Haas into the Worth county court, the farm being in that county.

Frank Haas and his son and Willis were arraigned soon afterwards, charged with assault with intent to kill. They were arraigned before Justice of the Peace J. E. Ingle of Grant City. Pending their preliminary hearing, which was set for April 14, the three men were released on bond for $5,000 each.

BUT THE THIEF WASN'T HUMAN.

Chief's Bloodhounds Fail to Trail Hopkins Chicken Catcher—The Reason.

Chief of Police E. C. Moberly had his first call yesterday to use his newly arrived bloodhounds. J. L. Downer of Hopkins sent a hurry-up message to the chief that someone had taken eighty little chickens and asked the chief to hurry up there with his bloodhounds.

The chief cast off all other business, boarded the noon train with his human trailers, bound for Hopkins, the scene of the theft. After unsuccessfully attempting to get the dogs to follow a trail, several boards to an outbuilding were pried off, and there lay the carcasses of the many young chicks, but the rat or weasel couldn't be found.

TO GIVE FAIRFAX CONCERT.

Local Musicians and Songsters Will Perform Friday for High School.

Prof. P. O. Landon, Prof. H. B. Schuler, Miss Bess Scott, Miss Nellie Wray, Miss Alice Porter and Orlo Quinn will go to Fairfax Friday to participate in a high school concert there. Prof. Schuler, Miss Scott, Miss Wray and Mr. Quinn will give the musical operetta "Beans and Buttons," which "took" so well here last winter, while Prof. Landon and Miss Porter will give piano numbers.

Several vocal solos and duets also are scheduled.

On Executive Committee.

O. F. Wilson of Burlington Junction was selected as a member of the executive committee of the Northwest Missouri Breeders' association, which meets at Savannah Wednesday.

RAISE REAL ESTATE VALUES

County Court Increases Most Country Land and Some Stock—Hear Appeals April 26.

Country real estate assessments for 1914 in five townships of Nodaway county were raised from 5 to 15 per cent by the county court, sitting as the annual board of equalization, the first three days of this week. Live stock assessments in two townships also came in for a boost by the equalizers, while many individual assessments of land and personal property came in for a change.

The equalization board dissolved this morning and the county court met in regular monthly session. It will meet as a board of appeals Monday, April 26, to hear "kicks" against any changes it may have made as a board of equalization. Township changes made were:

Atchison—Real estate raised 15 per cent.

Jefferson—Country real estate left same, after being reduced 5 per cent.

Independence—Country real estate raised 15 per cent.

Monroe—Country real estate raised 10 per cent.

Hughes—Country real estate raised 5 per cent.

Grant—Country real estate raised 10 per cent.

Union—Mules raised 20 per cent.

Lincoln—Horses, mules and cattle raised 20 per cent.

HOLD SHORT COURT SESSION

Few Cases Disposed of This Morning in Circuit Court—Jury Tomorrow.

A short session of the circuit court was held this morning to dispose of several trial and equity cases. The petit jury was excused until tomorrow morning, when trial cases by jury are set for hearing. The following actions were taken this morning:

Joseph Kempf and others against the Farmers bank, replevin, continued.

David Horn against M. A. Gaugh, damages, dismissed.

William Colburn against Richard Neeley, account, continued.

W. R. Browning against R. B. Young, justice appeal, continued.

Clarence W. Williams against James Heekin and William Heekin, damages, dismissed.

Charles W. Williams against T. W. Costello, damages, dismissed.

Gideon Matter against Mary A. Nelson and others, perfect title, decree.

Claude N. Comstock against Margaret Conley and others, partition, decree.

IS GIVEN 249 ACRE FARM

Father Presents Son With Valuable Homestead as Wedding Present.

In addition to getting a bride, Frank Orvil Litsch of Hopkins obtained a 249-acre Nodaway county farm on his wedding day last Sunday. The farm was a gift from the groom's father, Joseph Litsch, and was given to him, free from all encumbrance, as a wedding present.

Mr. Litsch was married Sunday afternoon to Miss Hattie Frances Lawler, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lawler, living eight miles east of Hopkins. The marriage service was read by the Rev. D. W. Griffith, pastor of the Baptist church.

The groom has been in business in Hopkins several years, but after a honeymoon trip of several weeks he and his bride will reside on the "wedding present" farm, which is just north of Hopkins.

AUSTRIAN BOMBS KILL 12

Aviator Also Injures 48 at Podgoritza, Montenegro—Many Buildings Destroyed.

By American Press.

Paris, April 8.—Twelve women and children were killed outright and forty-eight were injured, some perhaps fatally, by bombs dropped by Austrian aviators in the market place at Redgoritza, Montenegro, yesterday afternoon.

Many buildings were destroyed by the missiles, seven of which were dropped from one aeroplane.

TO MAKE COMMENCEMENT TALK.

Prof. H. A. Miller Speaks on "Efficient Man" at Rosendale Soon.

An address before a high school graduation class of twelve will be delivered at Rosendale, April 22, by Prof. Harry A. Miller of the Normal faculty. Prof. Miller will speak on "The Efficient Man, or the Elements of Efficiency."

In this address Prof. Miller divides his topic into five auxiliary parts, they being purpose, preparation, pluck, persistence and personality.

NEW COUNCIL IN

M. A. PEERY WINS THIRD ON AFFIDAVIT OF "MISSING" VOTER.

H. L. RAINES HEADS BODY

Mayor Names Five Councilmanic Committees—E. W. Barrock Bonded as Collector for $20,000.

The New Council.

Ward One—Jesse Fisher, Mose Hahn.

Second Ward—Ed M. Dragoo, Frank Garrett.

Third Ward—M. A. Peery, H. L. Raines, president.

Fourth Ward—D. E. McDonald. W. A. Tindall.

Council Committees.

Cemetery—Hahn, chairman; McDonald, Garrett.

Streets, alleys and sewers—Peery, chairman; Dragoo and Raines.

Finance—Peery, chairman; Garrett and McDonald.

Fire, lights and water—Fisher, chairman; Tindall and Raines.

Auditing—Dragoo, chairman; Hahn and Tindall.

The old council passed out and a new one entered last night during a special meeting of the aldermanic body to certify Tuesday's municipal election and adopt paving resolutions.

The expected deadlock relative to the third ward vote for M. A. Peery and Martin Borrusch, for councilman, failed to materialize. When the question was raised by Councilman Raines an affidavit was read by Mayor U. S. Wright in which John Clary stated he had voted Tuesday in the third ward but that his name was not entered in the poll book. That gave Peery one more vote than Borrusch. Five attorneys were present.

New Collector in, Too.

This settled, the three new councilmen, Dragoo, Peery and McDonald, and Hahn, re-elected, were given certificates of election and sworn into office by Mayor Wright. The retiring members then gave way to the three new ones.

After the passage of the grade ordinance and adoption of paving resolutions, the new council proceeded to organize. Mayor Wright made the committee appointments. Then on motion of Garrett, seconded by Tindall, Councilman H. L. Raines was unanimously elected president.

Before the old council retired it approved the final report of Deputy City Collector Harold Selecman for tax receipts from April 2 to April 7. It amounted to $110.95.

Early this morning Mayor Wright swore in Elmer W. (Red) Barrock as new city collector to succeed Mrs. Samuel Selecman. He gave personal bond for $20,000.

HAS POSITION AT EXPOSITION.

Frank Litts is Time Keeper—John Mutz Visits Former Maryville People.

Frank Litts, formerly of this city, now a resident of San Francisco, Cal., has a position as official time keeper for the employees of the Panama-Pacific exposition.

Mr. Litts' parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Litts, and the other members of the family are now residents of San Francisco. John Mutz, who has recently returned from a western trip, was the guest of Mr. Litts at the exposition.

During Mr. Mutz' trip he stopped at Corvallis, Ore., and visited with Dr. Harry Anderson, the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Anderson, who live south of the city, who has been located at Corvallis for some time, and also visited Prof. Harry Shepherd, who is now with the Oregon State Agricultural school at Corvallis.

WINS ATHLETIC HONORS.

Ralph Farmer, Second in Running in Ohio and Massachusetts.

Athletic honors a-plenty have come to Ralph Farmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Farmer of this city, who is a student at Oberlin college, Oberlin, O. In the inter-college contest there recently he took second prize in running.

For that reason he was sent to Worchester, Mass., to compete with eastern students in athletics. There he also took second prize in running.

Get Good Prices for Steers.

Frank Potts of near Burlington Junction and W. M. Simerly, also a Nodaway county farmer, received good prices for steers on the St. Joseph market yesterday. Potts received $7.65 for 1,217-pound steers and Simerly received $7.36 for a car of short-fed ones.

VILLA WINS; THEN LOSES

Obregon's Defeat a Severe Blow at Carranza—Yesterday's Battle Turned the Table.

By American Press.

El Paso, Texas, April 8.—By the defeat of Obregon's army in the last two days in central Mexico, officials of the Villa faction declared today that a decisive blow had been struck at the Carranza cause.

By American Press.

Vera Cruz, Mexico, April 8.—General Obregon yesterday inflicted serious defeat on Villa troops between Celaya and Irapuato, on the Mexican Central railroad. It was the first big engagement since the evacuation of Mexico City.

PICK GRADE QUIZ POINTS

Last Year Public School Pupils May Take "Exams" 16 Places April 16 and 17.

Sixteen places within Nodaway county, one in each township except in Hughes, where two are provided, have been announced by County School Superintendent Bert Cooper for conducting the annual eighth grade pupils' examinations, April 16 and 17. There will be three directors or supervisors for each place, all being public school teachers within the county.

The places selected in each township are:

Hughes—Graham high school and Lyle school house.

Monroe—Skidmore high school.

Lincoln—Elmo high school.

Nodaway—Burlington Junction high school.

Atchison—Clearmont high school.

Hopkins—Hopkins high school.

Union—Pickering high school.

Polk—Maryville Business college, Maryville.

White Cloud—Davis school.

Grant—Barnard high school.

Washington—Guilford school.

Jefferson — Conception Junction school.

Jackson—Ravenwood high school.

Independence—Gaynor school.

Green—Quitman high school.

BAPTIST TRIP IS POSTPONED.

Special Excursion Arranged for Tonight Held Over Until Monday.

On account of their inability to perfect arrangements, the party of members from the First Baptist church who had intended to go to St. Joseph tonight to hear the Rev. Lewis M. Hale in an evangelistic service at the Patee Park church, will postpone the trip until Monday. The intention of the crowd was to go on the regular Burlington train at 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon and return on a special leaving St. Joseph at 11:30 o'clock that night.

The special could not be arranged for tonight, and the committee managing the affair are planning it for Monday evening.

Many are planning to hear Mme. Schumann-Heink, who gives a concert in St. Joseph Monday night, and expect to join the party of Baptists and return on the special. Regular passenger rates will be furnished if a party of 130 can be secured.

A great many are expecting to attend the concert, and those intending to return on the special are asked to notify Miss Alice Porter at the Conservatory or Dr. Karl Malotte or Ray Davis, who are in charge of the arrangements.

CLEAN-UP LEADERS TO MEET.

Ward Captains and General Committee to Decide Campaign Plans.

A meeting of the four city ward captains and the general clean-up committee will be held at the Commercial club rooms at 5 o'clock this afternoon to discuss plans for the general city clean-up April 20. Definite steps in this direction and a mapping out of the various districts also will probably be made.

Buys Farm Near Hopkins.

M. C. Owens, near Hopkins, has purchased the old Willard 64-acre farm for $8,050 from Alexander & Collins of Hopkins, who only last week purchased it from Mrs. J. C. McMaster. Mr. Owens will move to the newly purchased farm.

Sick Child Improving.

Mary Donna, the young daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Karl Malotte, who has been very ill with pneumonia, is improving.

COUNCIL PROVIDES 39 PAVING BLOCKS

PASS GRADE ORDINANCES AND IMPROVEMENT RESOLUTIONS.

ASPHALT OR TAR TOP, CONCRETE BASE USED

Drop 2 Blocks on Walnut—Barring Remonstrances, City to Order Work Done Soon.

Would Pave These Streets.

Fifth—Market west six blocks to Dunn street, across Wabash switch tracks.

Dunn—Fourth, south two blocks to Second street.

Walnut—Ninth, south eight blocks to First street.

Thompson—Walnut, east four blocks to Main.

Market—Third, south three blocks to Jenkins.

Jenkins—Market, west one block to Main.

Ninth—Mulberry, west three blocks to the east limit of Normal grounds.

Mulberry—Ninth, north three blocks to Twelfth.

Twelfth—Mulberry, west one block to Walnut.

Third—Frederick avenue, west four blocks to west city limits.

West City Line—Third, north one block to Fourth.

Normal avenue—West city limits, east three blocks to Munn avenue.

Paving in Maryville this spring had its inning in the city council last night. For three hours ordinances and resolutions providing for the paving of thirty-nine blocks on twelve separate streets were being approved and passed by the councilmanic body. Not a dissenting vote was cast for any of the propositions by the eight councilmen—five old heads and three new ones.

The first matter to come up was the passage of a grade ordinance to establish the grade for all of the blocks to be paved.

Then came ordinances to bring these various streets to the grades established by City Engineer F. L. Flynt in grade ordinance No. 642.

For Asphalt or Tar Paving.

They were each followed by resolutions for paving those blocks, explaining the kind of material to be used, the width, and how the expense is to be met.

Those provisions are to pay the paving costs by levying a special assessment against all property abutting on the blocks to be paved. The resolutions provide a bituminous concrete surface of between two and three inches thick. This would allow the use of either asphalt or tar products.

Beneath the surface, a five inch Portland cement foundation or base is provided. The streets also are to be provided with six-inch gutters and eighteen-inch curbing in most instances.

Provide Two Wide Thoroughfares.

Two of the streets are to be forty-two feet wide, one twenty-seven and the remainder twenty-four feet, according to the resolutions. The wide streets would be West Fifth and Market from Jenkins and Third street.

The resolutions provide for about 34,000 square yards of paving besides about 15,000 square yards of intersections and alley ways. It is asphal-

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THE WEATHER

Unsettled weather tonight and Friday; probably showers.

Will Receive Bids

The Standard Poland-China Record association, Maryville, Missouri, will receive sealed bids for the construction of a one-story brick building, to be built according to plans and specifications submitted by Architect James Schack.

We reserve full right to reject any and all bids. Sealed bids must be in the hands of the secretary on or before April 20, 1915. Address or call on Ray Davis, secretary, Maryville, Missouri, for plans.

TO-NIGHT *TO-NIGHT*

Paramount Pictures

Marguerite Clark
In THE GOOSE GIRL
Five Acts—Five and Ten Cents—To-night 7:30 p. m.
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Largest Circulation in Nodaway County

The new city council has been organized. The people have elected some excellent members. Now, let's have a strong pull. All together for the good of Maryville.

Two members of the state senate, Senators Harris of Boone county and Moore of Barton county, have declined to accept commissions to serve on junketing committees created by the recent legislature. Senator Moore was made chairman of a committee to investigate the wages paid children in this state, but declined, because he does not approve the expenditure of public funds in this manner and believes the information sought can be obtained in other ways. Senator Harris has raised the question of the legality of such commissions. There have been many such commissions, some of which have rendered valuable returns, while others have been mere pleasure parties. The short term of the legislature makes it impossible to make any exhaustive investigations during the sessions, but the amount appropriated for these commissions is generally greatly in excess of their needs.

Spent Day in St. Joseph.

Mrs. A. J. Luppold and Miss Marcia Cutler went to St. Joseph this morning to spend the day visiting friends.

COUNCIL PROVIDES 39 PAVING BLOCKS

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tic material and about 10 cents less for tar mixtures. Brick or creosoted wood block paving would be considerably higher.

B. C. Nelson of Kansas City, representing the John Baker, Jr., Asphalt Company of Chicago, and a Kansas City representative of the Barrett Paving Company were present last night.

The grade ordinances and paving resolutions, passed and adopted by the city council last night, will be published for two consecutive weeks. Ordinances will then be brought before the next meeting of the council, May 6, providing for such paving, and instructing the city engineer to advertise for bids for the improvements.

If petitions containing names of more than half of the property owners along the streets, remonstrating against such improvements are presented before the council, however, the paving resolutions would be for naught. It is not believed many remonstrances will be made however. In fact many persons owning property along the streets, have asked that such action be made by the council.

Miss Ruth Matter left yesterday for Springfield, Mo., to spend several weeks the guest of Miss Helen Wray.

WOMEN ATTEND CONVENTION.

Maryville Delegates Go to District Meeting at Oregon.

Miss Lucie B. Davis left today for Oregon, Mo., to attend the presbyterial meeting of the Women's Missionary society, which is in session today and tomorrow. Miss Davis is president of the Women's Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church. Miss Mary Frances Ford, who is also a delegate to the meeting, left yesterday afternoon for Oregon.

The convention will include a representation from all societies in the St. Joseph presbytery.

Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets
will relieve your indigestion. Many people in this town have used them and we have yet to hear of a case where they have failed. We know the formula. Sold only by us—25c a box.
Orear-Henry Drug Co.

New York Guests Leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Woods of Hinsdale, N. Y., who have been spending several days in Maryville, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hudson and family, left today for their home. The visitors were enroute east from a visit at San Francisco, Cal. Mr. Woods is a nephew of Mrs. Hudson.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

SLEEP PRODUCERS
---Comfortable Nighwear

PAJUNIONS—The latest word in combination suit Pajamas. You should see these garments to appreciate their merit. Assorted fabrics **$1.50 and $2.00**

PAJAMAS—Change that yawn to a smile after a pleasant nights rest, Domet Flannel, Madras, Mercerized fabrics and Silk. **$1.50 to $3 50 the Suit.**

NIGHT GOWNS TOO—Cambric, Krinkle Cloth and Muslin, low neck and collar style, big and roomy, any size, **$1.00 the garment.**

ROY W. PETTIT
The Toggery Shop

Special Sale of Dresses

SILK DRESSES, WOOL DRESSES, POPLIN DRESSES— Worth up to $8.75, ALL NEW STYLES. THIS SPECIAL LOT NOW FOR, YOUR CHOICE

only $5.48

Haines THE BUSY STORE WITH LITTLE PRICES *Haines*

NAGUABO SCHOOLS BURN.

Maryville Teacher Has Unusual Experience at Porto Rico.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lyle, who live south of the city have received word from their daughter, Miss Floy, who is teaching in the government schools of Porto Rico, that the town, Naguabo, in which she is teaching, was almost entirely destroyed by fire about a month ago.

The entire business portion of Naguabo, excepting one store, and including all school buildings was a total loss. None of the school property was saved, the fire destroying the buildings and all equipment incident to school work, all of which was the property of the government.

Miss Lyle is in charge of the home economics department in addition to several high school subjects, and in her department the loss was most keenly felt. All sewing machines and oil stoves were burned, and in addition the girls of the department lost a great many garments which had just been completed in the sewing classes. The authorities of Naguabo rented such quarters as could be obtained and within two days all departments, except the home economics, resumed work. The school employs thirty teachers.

Miss Lyle began work last September. The house, where she makes her home was saved by a small margin. The occupants had removed all their property and Miss Lyle as well as the others suffered no loss.

When People Ask Us
what is good for nerves and lost weight, we always recommend
Rexall Olive Oil Emulsion
containing Hypophosphites
a food tonic and tissue builder.
Orear-Henry Drug Co.

Dwight Davis of Hughes township was in Maryville today on business and also to serve on the petit circuit court jury.

INCREASED DEPOSITS.

State Bank Examiner Mitchell's Report Shows $16,446,060.47 Increase.

Resources of state banks and trust companies in Missouri increased about $20,000,000, deposits increased $16,446,060.47, and loans and discounts decreased $3,746,303.61 between October 21, 1914, and March 4, 1915, according to figures obtained from State Bank Examiner Mitchell.

The October report of the bank commissioner showed a heavy decrease in deposits, an increase in loans and a decrease in the resources of the state banks and trust companies. The reversal of those conditions he regards as a hopeful financial sign.

Mitchell's figures are based upon the returns made by the state banks and trust companies at the close of business March 4. The increases for the period, approximately five months, he regards as phenomenal.

The total deposits, including individual, time, savings and demand deposits, on March 4 were $335,181,376. On October 21, 1914, the total deposits were $318,735,316.

During the period under consideration the capital of the banks increased $1,490,825 and their surplus and undivided profits $2,196,998. Bills payable decreased $3,018,823.

The total loans on March 4 by state banks and trust companies were $235,425,482, a decrease of $3,746,303 since October 21, 1914. The total capital stock increased from $56,532,860 to $58,023,085. The undivided profits totaled on March 4, $15,301,185.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

CHICHESTER S PILLS
THE DIAMOND BRAND.
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chi-ches-ter-S Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHI-CHES-TER-S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable
SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

PULLMAN CARS WELL CLEANED.

Sanitation and Cleanliness of Railroad Coaches Described by Government.

In a report dealing with the migration of tuberculous persons in interstate traffic recently issued by the United States public health service, the manner of cleaning and disinfecting Pullman cars, day coaches, mail and baggage cars, is described.

Not only is formaldehyde gas used as a disinfectant, but soap and hot water are liberally used as a means of mechanical cleansing. Dust is removed from the carpets, upholstered seats and interior of the cars by means of compressed air which has been found to be the most efficient means for this purpose.

Fresh air and sunlight which are among the best disinfecting agents we have, are also utilized as a further means of cleaning the blankets, mattresses and curtains used in Pullman cars.

In addition to the cleaning and disinfection of railroad coaches the use of individual drinking cups, drinking water of a required standard of purity, individual towels and dental lavoratories are all factors which make traveling by railroad not only more agreeable but safer.

SPECIAL ITEMS

For Friday and Saturday

White Bed Quilts, worth $2.00 special for.....$1.25

40 inch Black Messaline Silk extra heavy quality, worth $1.25 a yard, special a yard $1.05

32 inch French Ginghams, all new patterns, worth 25c a yard, special a yard.....19c

25c all Linen Towels. You will find these the best wearing towels you ever bought, special, each19c

GRASS RUGS--Imported grass rugs size 27x54, colors blue, tan and green, worth $1.50, special at.....$1-23

KIMONO CREPES---new patterns worth 25c a yard, good quality, special a yard.....19c

19c figured Rice Cloths, beautiful patterns in the new floral designs, special a yard.....15c

Ladies' and Children's Black Hose, 15c values for a pair..10c

A selection of best quality Percales in light grounds, 36 inches wide, worth 15c, special a yard at.....10c

LACE CURTAINS
$2.00 values, a pair..$1.25
$2.50 values, a pair..$1.95
$3.00 values. a pair..$2.35

Ladies' summer weight Union Suits, sizes 40, 42 and 44 only, worth 35c, special a suit....25c

40c Ladies Fibre Silk Hose, colors black and white, special 35c a pair or three pairs for..$1.00

BRASS CURTAIN RODS with silver corrugated ends, worth 10c special 7c

All linen torchion lace, 2 to 4 inches wide, worth 5c a yard, special a yard 3c

W. B. Corsets, any style we have worth $1.50 reduced..$1.28

White Middies, sizes 16 to 18, worth $1.00 special for.....85c

36 inch Messaline Silk, worth $1.00 a yard, assortment of colors special a yard 84c

White Outing Flannel, worth 12½c a yard, good heavy weight special a yard.....10c

TOUL DU NORD Ginghams, new Spring patterns, worth 15c a yard, special a yard.....12c

HOUSE DRESSES—A good assortment of house dresses will be sold very cheap Friday and Saturday. Prices and qualities are too many to quote here but we guarantee we will give you good values at reduced prices.

D.R.EVERSOLE&SON

Every Man Ready For New Spring Clothing

See our exceptional values in Collegian Suits and other standard Suits. We are sure that we can fit you out in the very suit you want and at a price which will please you.
Ties, Shirts, Collars, Socks, Hats and anything else in the clothing line we have waiting for you.
Our values in dress Shirts and work Shirts are exceptional. Come in and look them over even if you don't intend to buy just now.

M. NUSBAUM

J&K
The Stylish
PARISIAN

THIS pump shows style and neatness in a marked degree. Has the jet button effect on toe, single strap and gaiter pattern dull kid insert. Parisian last, straight Cuban heel and a light welt.

Fits the Arch
$4.50

Montgomery Shoe Co
THE FAMILY SHOE STORE

Let us Show You This Pump

No Paint— No Repairs— Just Wear— Use PEARL for Screens—

What's the use of screening with a wire cloth you know will have to be repaired, repainted or renewed in a season or two at most?

Practice *real* economy. Screen with genuine Gilbert & Bennett PEARL Wire Cloth. Rust, *not* wear, ruins screens. PEARL Wire Cloth is as near rust-proof as metal can be made and consequently as near wear-proof as a screen can be.

GILBERT & BENNETT
Pearl WIRE CLOTH

For Screening Doors, Windows and Porches
Made in Two Weights — *Regular and Extra Heavy*

Smooth surfaced and with metallic lustre, PEARL is beautiful as a screen can be. Easy on the eyes and less visible the longer it's used.

Don't be deceived. There can not be a "just the same as PEARL." The manufacture and application of the non-crack, non-chip coating from which it derives its wonderful rust-resisting qualities is a secret process, the exclusive property of the company.

We sell genuine PEARL Wire Cloth with two Copper Wires in the Selvage and the Round Tag bearing the Gilbert & Bennett name on each roll.

Hudson and Welch
NORTH SIDE HARDWARE

GOLD DUST

—it actually works at hundreds of tasks daily

"Let the Gold Dust Twins do your work" is much more than a popular phrase. It is based on truth, an actuality, for Gold Dust really *works.*

"Let the GOLD DUST TWINS do your work"

The millions of women who use it for dishwashing and scrubbing know this. But Gold Dust should be used for cleaning and brightening *everything.*

It is the only washing and cleaning powder needed in any home.

The small quantity required is quickly taken up by hot or cold, hard or soft water—forming a perfect cleaning solution. The valuable antiseptic cleansing agent it contains helps to make things sanitarily clean, as well as bright and new-looking.

5c and larger packages sold everywhere

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April Weather.

If you could have a perfect day
To dream of when your life were done,
Would you choose one all clear, all gay—
If you could have a perfect day—
The airs above the wide green way
Sheer virgin blue with crystal sun?—
If you could have a perfect day
To dream of when your life were done.
Or would you have it April's way,
Haphazard rain, haphazard sun,
Divine and sordid, clear and gray,
Dyed like these hours' own work and play;
All shot with stains of tears and clay,
Haphazard pain, haphazard fun—
If you could have a perfect day
To dream of when your life were done?

—Edith Wyatt in the Poetry Magazine.

Dinner Party.

Misses Chloe and Ethel Dick were the complimentary guests of a dinner party given at noon today by Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kidd and daughter, Ethel, of Bedison.

Mrs. Barry to Entertain.

Mrs. Raymond Barry of North Mulberry street will entertain the Homemakers class at her home tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. Wright Hostess.

Mrs. U. S. Wright entertained the members of the Penelope club with a kensington and tea at her home yesterday afternoon. Guests present other than the club members were Mrs. Frank Roelofson and Mrs. Lester Bennett. During the entertaining hours Mrs. Wright was assisted by her daughter, Miss Gertrude Wright.

Meeting Postponed.

The meeting of the home department of the Parent-Teachers association which was to have been held Friday has been postponed until Monday afternoon of next week, when it will meet at the home of Mrs. Martin Borrusch, 114 North Main street. The postponement is made on account of the funeral services of Loren Jones.

Celebrates Birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Thompson of Parnell, entertained a number of the small friends of their daughter, Georgia, Sunday afternoon to celebrate the little girl's seventh birthday. The children present were Gretchen Bishop, Bertha Long, Veronica Hall, Kathleen Jones, Pauline Jones, Bertha Urit, Edna Walters, Clara Taylor, Wayne Thompson, Frederick Breit and Clarence Hutchison. Other guests present were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hutchison, Mrs. Mary Thompson, Miss Ethel Muse and Miss Jane Barnett.

Keith-Anderson.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Mary Taylor Keith and Assistant City Attorney Jesse E. Anderson of Kansas City, which took place yesterday morning at the winter home of the Keiths in New Orleans, La. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson will be at home in Kansas City after April 18. The groom is the son of Mrs. B. F. Anderson, formerly of Maryville, now living in Kansas City.

Mrs. Colby Hostess.

Mrs. James Colby presided at an attractively appointed luncheon given yesterday afternoon at her home, when she entertained about twenty guests in compliment to her sister, Mrs Paul Ream of Kansas City. Mrs. Joseph Jackson, Jr., assisted the hostess in entertaining her guests.

City Federation Elects.

Mrs. George H. Colbert was elected president of the City Federation for the coming year at a meeting of the Federation members held yesterday afternoon. The other officers chosen were Mrs. W. C. Van Cleve, first vice president; Mrs. Berney Harris, second vice president; Miss Jessie Parcher, recording secretary; Mrs. W. A. Miller, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Walter Mutz, treasurer, and Mrs. R. L. McDougal, auditor. Following the election of officers the matter of joining the state federation was brought up and the requirements for so doing complied with, making it now a member of the state federation. The city federation was formulated in 1913. The remainder of the session was devoted to minor matters of business. Just before adjournment Mrs. C. C. Corwin, retiring president, was presented with a handsome bouquet of carnations and jonquils as an appreciative recognition of her services during the past year.

HUERTA TO ARRIVE IN U. S. SATURDAY

Believed Former Dictator Comes to Plot New Revolution.

Washington, April 8.—Official announcement that Victoriano Huerta, late Mexican dictator, was on his way from Spain to the United States was received at the state department from the American consul at Seville. Huerta recently sailed on the steamer Antonio Lopez, due to arrive at New York on Saturday. It will be his first visit to the United States, his defiance of which last year in the stirring months before he voluntarily went into exile, led to the American occupation of Vera Cruz.

Just what the purpose of Huerta's visit may be is unknown to officials, but it is believed he intends to promote another revolution in Mexico.

William Huttig is Dead.

Muscatine, Ia., April 8.—William Huttig, a pioneer sash and door manufacturer of Iowa is dead at his home here of pneumonia. He was born in Saxony, Feb. 5 1836.

ITALIAN WARSHIPS IN STRIKING DISTANCE

Rome, April 8.—The warships of the Italian fleet departed suddenly from the Mediterranean naval stations at Spezia, Gaeta and Maydalena island. They contentrated at Augusta, Sicily, and at Taranto. They are within a few hours of the Adriatic.

The departure of these warships caused a profound impression, particularly at Spezia, where until last Sunday the harbor was crowded with dreadnoughts, cruisers and torpedo boat destroyers, while the town was filled with officers and sailors.

Italy now has the finest fleet in its history. It is headed by several new dreadnoughts of which the most formidable is the Contente di Cavour, which corresponds in the Italian navy to Great Britain's Queen Elizabeth.

The future movements of the fleet are veiled with absolute secrecy. It is asserted that only the king and one or two of the highest government officers are acquainted with the plans decided upon.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by Druggists. Price, 75c. per bottle.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Clyde Couple to Wed.

Godfrey Wederholt, 30 years old, and Mary A. Miller, 32 years old, both of Clyde, were granted a license to marry in the office of the recorder of deeds late yesterday afternoon. They are to be married in the Old Conception church next Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Houston of Stanberry arrived in Maryville last night for a few days visit with Mr. Houston's sister, Mrs. G. A. Nash.

Something real useful has been found for Boy Scouts to do. In the Eastern cities it is proposed they work in harmony with the Wild Bird Protective Association, by learning the life of the birds and aid in protecting them from cats, snakes and other dangers.

In This List of Bargains

We Have Arranged so Sell

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You are Nearly Certain to Locate Articles You Need.

Every Order Given Us Will Have Careful Attention

LOOSE WILES SUNSHINE BRAND

Finest English Style Biscuits—40c pkgs. assorted 5 kinds for 20c
25c pkgs. assorted; 2 kinds for 15c
These are the top quality picked from the entire line

Ben Davis Apples, bushel.....$1.25
Quaker Corn Meal, 2 pkgs.....15c
2 pkgs Post Toasties for.....15c
Boneless skinned Herring, smoked, small fish, lb.....20c
10c pkgs Dates, Excelsior brand, 2 for.....15c
No. 1 Celery, bunch.....10c
Quaker Pearl Hominy, 10c pkgs, 4 for.....25c
Puffed Wheat, Corn or Rice, pkg 12c
5c per lb choice Seed Sweet Potatoes.
½-gallon 25c can Table Syrup for..18c
1-lb tall cans Pink Salmon, 10c; per dozen.....$1.05
No. 1 cans finest Red Alaska Salmon, ..17c; dozen.....$1.85
New Southern Cabbage, 7 lbs.....25c

SEED POTATOES

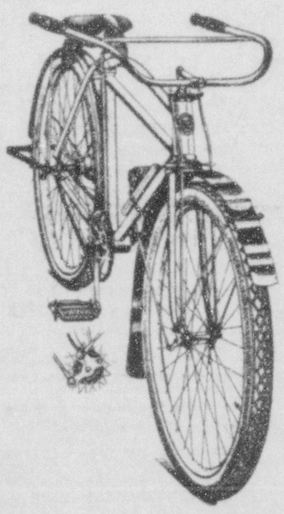
Minnesota Red River Ohios, bushel $1.10
2 bushel in each sack

The Quality Extra Good Southern Grown Early Ohios, bushel $1.10
2½ bushel in each sack

Choice Northern Grown Table Potatoes, bushel.....70c
2½-bushel sack for.....$1.60
10 lbs Turnips.....25c
10c each for choice Mackerel or Lake Fish.
12½c per lb for Alaska Salmon, large fish.
5 lbs fine Granulated Sugar for...25c (Must be included with grocery order.)
10c pkgs California Layer Figs, 2 for.....15c
Large Grape Fruit, 6 for.....25c
Cotton Mops, 24-oz, 35c size, for...25c
16-oz, 25c size, for.....18c
New shipment Codfish, 1-lb bricks, 3 for.....25c
Sugar Cured Hams, skin removed, per lb.....14½c
Picnic Hams, 7 to 8 lbs.....10c
Morrell's Fancy Breakfast Bacon, lean and mild cured, reduced to.....20c
Good fresh Parsnips, 8 lbs.....25c
25c Tuna Fish, can.....19c
15c Tuna Fish, can.....12c
California Sardines, very large, cans packed in tomato, Mustard or soused, 25c cans cut to.....15c
Green Onions and Radishes.....5c
Fresh Peas, gallon.....20c
Quart Sweet Spiced Bulk Pickles..15c
Gallon medium sized best Sour Pickles for.....30c
Two 10c bottles Horseradish.....15c

Townsend's

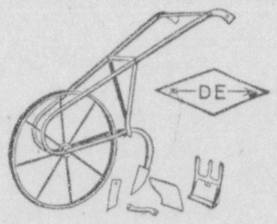
Fourth and Main Streets.



The Rugby

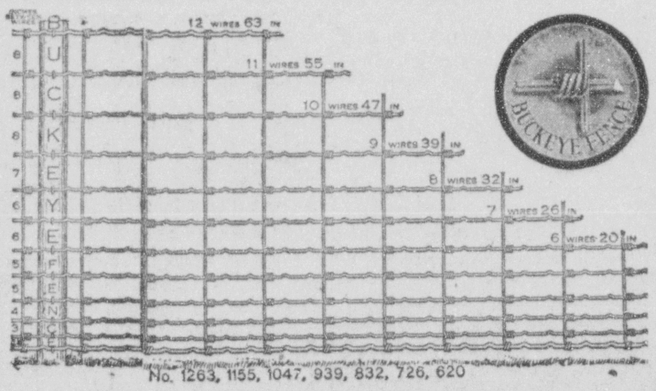
IS equipped with one year guaranteed tires, and coaster brake. Also is built on the latest approved lines of Bicycle construction that makes it the most beautiful and durable Bicycle on the market. Let us show you its points of merit.

DIAMOND EDGE
GARDEN CULTIVATOR



The D. E. Garden Plow is built to run easy and for durability and the approval of satisfied used users is proof of its merit. Complete for **$2.25.**

The Old Trusty is the most satisfactory incubator because it hatches the greatest per centage of fertile eggs.



No. 1263, 1155, 1047, 939, 832, 726, 620

Have it in all standard heights, the wire is very heavy galvanized and runs full size, top and bottom. No. 9 intermediate and stay wires No. 11. Let us show you the lasting qualities of the BUCKEYE HINGED STAY FENCE. Also a full line of Lawn Fence and Gates. Rabbit, Poultry and Garden Fence.

H. C. Bower

WEST SIDE HARDWARE

Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co.

WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

New Special

For Friday and Saturday Only

WE have arranged seasonable merchandise in the various departments at special prices for FRIDAY and SATURDAY selling. The offerings are all new spring arrivals, and will prove an opportunity worth while.

Ready-to-Wear Apparel

Ladies Spring Coats—Entire stock of $30, $25, and $22.50 values in new spring coats for Friday and Saturday only, at $20.00

Tailored Suits—$37.50 values in the latest styles, special at $32.50. $35, and $32.50 values, entire line included, Friday and Saturday at $30.00

New Wash Waists—A large assortment of new style wash waists in crepe, Voile and Flaxon, $1.50 and $1.25 values at only 98c

Home Furnishings

Tapestry Brussels Rugs—$20 and $18.50 values in 11-3 by 12 and 10-6 by 12 assorted patterns, Friday and Saturday at $16.50

9 x 12 Tapestry Brussels Rugs, variety of patterns, $13.50 values, special at $11.00

Lace Curtains—Nottingham Lace Curtains in white and Ecru, 2½ and 3 yards long by 48 inches wide, plain centers with elaborate border, $1.25 values for Friday and Saturday, the pair 98c

75c quality Nottingham lace curtains 2½ yards long by 34 inches wide, special at the pair 48c

West Aisle Specials

Dainty Embroidery—assorted lot of fine Swiss and cambric embroidery, 4 to 8 inches width, assorted designs, values to 75c at the yard 10c

Gauze Vests—Extra value in ladies gauze vests "Korect Kut," (cannot slip off the shoulders) 15c quality at..11c

Pure Silk Hose—Women's black silk hose with high spliced heel and triple thread toe, assorted sizes, 50c value at the pair 39c

Millinery Special

New Spring Hats—Assorted lot of new styles in values to $5.00 for Friday and Saturday selling at each $2.95

Center Aisle

Kid Gloves—We offer for Friday and Saturday selling our entire stock of $1.25 quality kid gloves in black, white and colors, at the pair.....$1.00

Ladies Handkerchiefs—Dainty linen and linene handkerchiefs in rolled hem embroidered corners and hemstitched borders 19c values, Friday and Saturday at 15c

Hair Pins—Rubber and Celluloid hair pins, assorted colors, 19c and 15c values at the box, 10c; 25c quality at the box 19c

East Aisle Specials

Bed Spreads—Good, heavy quality spreads in fringed and scalloped with cut corners, 81 x 90 inches, $2.25 grade at only $1.79

Dress Ginghams—Scotch Zephyr Ginghams in good variety of patterns, 18c and 15c values at 13½c

Remnants of Wool Dress Goods—Large assortment of dress goods remnants in skirt lengths and other good, usable lengths. To close these out quickly we offer them at **33 1-3c on the dollar.**

Silks—Special assortment of Foulard Cheney and Silk Poplin, values to $1.00, Friday and Saturday at the yard only 50c

Just received by express this morning for the Millinery Department a shipment of Pattern Hats in New Sailor Effects. Also a variety of Untrimmed Shapes.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—4,000. Market strong. Estimate tomorrow, 1,000.

Hogs—16,000. Market 5c higher; top, $7.00. Estimate tomorrow, 4,000.

Sheep—10,000. Market strong.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—3,000. Market strong.

Hogs—6,000. Market 5c higher; top, $6.82.

Sheep—4,000. Market strong.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,100. Market strong.

Hogs—7,300. Market 5c higher; top, $6.85.

Sheep—2,000. Market strong.

Ill With Typhoid.

Miss Mabel Eddy of Mound City, who has been attending the Normal, is ill at her home with typhoid fever. Miss Eddy went to her home last Thursday and has been ill since then.

Painting White Way Poles.

The green colored electric light poles which comprise Maryville's white way are being repainted green today by the Maryville Electric Light and Power company. There are eighty odd of them, and they are painted annually by the maintainers.

For Dandruff, we recommend

Rexall "93" Hair Tonic

Orear-Henry Drug Co.

No Funds; Close Cox School.

The Cox rural school, west of Hopkins, has been closed on account of a lack of funds with which to carry out the term. Miss Bertha Cross, of Hopkins was teacher.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

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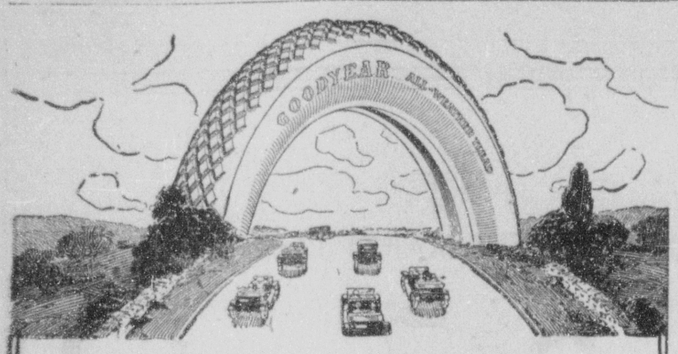
KESSLER'S
5, 10 and 25 cent Store

Don't Forget Our
Saturday Special
10 a. m.

Combinets, each.....25c
Wash Bowls and Pitchers Complete.....25c

Kessler's
WATCH OUR WINDOWS



The Broad Way
Leads to Goodyear Tires

Try it a little while. It has carried some 400,000 motorists to the haven of content. It is traveled by more users than has any other tire. That has been so for years.

We can't win you to Fortified Tires by asking you to try them. The tires themselves must win you.

But our plea is that you should try the tires that countless men found best. There must be a reason as you know, why Goodyears dominate like this. Last year men bought about one Goodyear for every car in use.

Men Like You

This Goodyear army is composed of men like you. They want quality, safety, endurance. They want trouble-saving and low cost per mile.

Goodyears best met these wants. They met them because they are Fortified Tires.

In five costly ways, employed by no other maker, they offer unique protection. They combat five troubles — rim-cuts, blowouts, loose treads, punctures and skidding—as is done in no other tire.

Price Reduction

On February 1st we made another big price reduction. That makes three reductions in two years, totaling 45 per cent.

Today Goodyears, more than ever before, offer you most for the money. They offer you the utmost possible in tires, measured by cost per mile. Doesn't their top place prove that?

The following Goodyear Service Stations will supply you:

GOODYEAR AKRON, OHIO
Fortified Tires
No-Rim-Cut Tires—"On-Air" Cured With All-Weather Treads or Smooth

Goodyear Service Stations--Tires in Stock

Barmann Auto Company - Maryville

NEARBY TOWNS

Campbell Hardware Company	Barnard
Bucker & Company - -	Elmo
Shores & Yager - - -	Pickering
Mutti & Brown - - -	Hopkins
Ravenwood Auto Company -	Ravenwood
Clearmont M. Company -	Clearmont
Bailey & Griffey -	Burlington Junction

ASKS THAT EITEL BE INTERNED

German Raider Will Be Held In U. S. Port Throughout War.

MEN MUST GIVE PLEDGES.

Navy Department Announces Converted Cruiser Will Be Taken to Norfolk Yard — Commander Thierichens Finds Dash to Sea Impossible.

Washington, April 8.—Commander Thierichens of the German auxiliary cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich informed the collector of customs at Newport News that he desired to intern his ship in American waters for the war.

The commander said he had been obliged to determine upon this course because relief, which would have made possible a dash for the sea, had failed to arrive.

It was announced at the navy department that the Eitel would be taken to the Norfolk navy yard for internment and its officers and crew bound not to participate further in the war.

Los Angeles Chief of Police Indicted.

Los Angeles, April 8.—Charles E. Sebastian, chief of police, was arraigned here on an indictment returned by the Los Angeles county grand jury, charging him with contributing to the delinquency of Edith Sarkin, the ward of Mrs. Lillie Pratt, who was indicted with Sebastian. It was agreed that the chief should plead to the charge Saturday. He was suspended at his request and said he would show the charge to be a political plot.

Card of Thanks.

We wish in this way to express our appreciation to all the friends who remembered us with many kind words and acts during the illness and death of our husband and father, John Kirch. —Mrs. John Kirch and Children.

The J. L. S. Fistula Remedy. Sold by J. L. Scott, Maryville, Mo., at $2.50 per bottle. Why keep a fistula or poll evil horse on the place. They are not worth a dollar unless they are cured. This medicine will do the work so get after them and cure them up.—Adv.

(First Insertion Apr. 1; last April 29.)
NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned James B. Robinson, executor of the estate of James A. Yarnell, deceased, will make Final settlement of his accounts with said estate as such executor at the next term of the Probate court of Nodaway county, Missouri, to be holden at Maryville in said county, on the 10th day of May, A. D., 1915.

James B. Robinson,
Executor.

FEEL EVERY CHANGE OF THE WEATHER?

A Bad Back is Usually Worse During Bad Weather.

Is your back like a barometer?
Does it foretell every change of weather?
Does every cold settle on your kidneys?
Bring aching, throbbing pains?
Does it disorder the urine?
Have you thought the kidneys may be calling for help.
Thousands recommend Doan's Kidney Pills.
Maryville testimony proves their worth.

Mrs. A. Weidman, 403 E. Thompson street, Maryville, says: "I had dull, dragging pains through my kidneys. My kidneys were also irregular in action, especially if I took cold or at any change of the weather. I used different remedies, but with no success until I got Doan's Kidney Pills. In less than a month I was free from the trouble and without an ache or pain. I have recommended Doan's Kidney Pills to hundreds of people, and you may continue using my endorsement."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Weidman had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

To Live on Ranch.

Joseph Leech, who lives near Pickering, will leave Tuesday for Lewiston, Mont., where he will make his home on a ranch near there.

For Right House Painting—Dutch Boy White Lead, mixed for the job, and a good painter.

Curfman Lumber Co.

will give you trustworthy advice about materials and will help select color schemes. Ful stock of oils, varnish, putty, stains, brushes, driers, colors, red lead and

Dutch Boy White Lead

Don't be like the man who had poor teeth and put off going to the dentist. He lost in satisfaction and in pleasure, and at the end of a two-year wait had to spend twice as much for repairs. Paint now while the painting is good. Call or telephone.

GERMANS STEM RUSSIAN TIDE

Reinforcements Check Muscovite Invaders In Uzok Pass.

ELSEWHERE THE RUSSIANS GAIN

Czar's Forces Sweep Down Slopes of Beskid Mountains on Plains of Hungary—Another Big Battle Is Raging on French Soil.

WAR SUMMARY

The Russians, having carried the summits of the principal chain of the Beskid mountains, are moving down the slopes on the Hungarian side.

Farther west, beyond Laborcza, the Austrians apparently are holding the Slavs in check. This is believed due to German reinforcements.

Desperate fighting continues between the Moselle and the Meuse in France. The result is not decisive and the end of the battle is still far off. The losses are tremendous.

Sultan Mehmed of Turkey is convinced that the allies cannot force the Dardanelles. Field Marshal von Der Goltz has 1,250,000 trained men to guard against land invasion.

London, April 8.—The Russians having carried the summits of the principal chain of the Beskid mountains in the western section, are coming down the rugged slopes to gain possession of the southern spurs, some of which they have already captured, according to the official statement from Russian headquarters.

Farther to the east, however, beyond the Laborcza valley, the Austrians apparently are holding the Russian troops in check.

Unquestionably heavy reinforcements have come to the support of both the opposing forces and the Austro-Hungarians now have added to their strength numerous German contingents, which are giving them powerful aid in checking the Russians' advance through Uzok pass, the only line of defense which the Russians have not succeeded in breaking.

Both the French and Germans tell of the bitter struggle which is going on between the rivers Meuse and Moselle in France, and the fight is by no means ended, although there are evidences that the losses on both sides are great.

The operations around Verdun were begun several days ago by the French, whose offensive was undertaken for the purpose of forcing back the German line at St. Mihiel. Claims are made by both of important successes, which can be reconciled by the fact that the official statements issued bear respectively on different points of the line. The one thing certain is that wherever an advance is made the price is paid.

SURPRISE ATTACK FAILS

Ice Is Broken by German Shells and Russian Soldiers Drown.

Koenigsberg, April 8.—The difficulties with which the opposing forces in East Prussia have had to contend during the winter months are described by a Prussian soldier who has been through the long campaign. His company was entrenched near one of the Masurian lakes, when three Russian companies attempted a surprise attack by creeping over the ice. The assault was discovered and repelled, and the Germans were able to annihilate every member of the Russian force without leaving the trenches by the simple expedient of breaking up the ice with heavy shells, so that their opponents drowned.

House of Marshall Looted by Burglars.

Indianapolis, April 8.—The home here of Thomas R. Marshall, vice president of the United States, has been entered by burglars. Vice President and Mrs. Marshall are visiting relatives of Mrs. Marshall in Scottsdale, Ariz., where they went after Mr. Marshall had represented President Wilson at the dedication of the Panama-Pacific exposition at San Francisco. It has not been learned whether anything of value had been taken.

War Forces Up Wages In England.

London, April 8.—Members of the house of commons who have been investigating recent labor troubles in various parts of Great Britain have received several complaints from manufacturers that the extremely high wages paid by the war office is one of the great difficulties with which they have to deal.

Aviators Attack Military Train.

Geneva, April 8.—Two French aviators pursued a German military train from Masbach to Villingen in the Black forest. They damaged the railway and stations along the line. On their returned they dropped bombs at Muelheim and Neuborg.

Connecticut House Rejects Suffrage.

Hartford, Conn., April 8.—A proposed constitutional amendment giving women the right of suffrage was rejected by the Connecticut house of representatives, 124 to 106.

Von Hindenburg In New Job.

Paris, April 8.—The Temps says it is learned from Berlin that Field Marshal von Hindenburg will leave the eastern for the western front this week.

HOW "TIZ" GLADDENS TIRED, ACHING FEET

Don't Stay Footsick! Don't Have Sore, Puffed-Up, Sweaty, Calloused, Feet or Burning Corns.

Ah! what relief. No more tired feet; no more burning feet; no more swollen, bad smelling, sweaty feet. No more pain in corns, callouses or bunions. No matter what ails your feet or what under the sun you've tried without getting relief, just use "TIZ."

"TIZ" is the only remedy that draws out all the poisonous exudations which puff up the feet; "TIZ" is magical; "TIZ" is grand; "TIZ" will cure your foot troubles so you'll never limp or draw up your face in pain. Your shoes won't seem tight and your feet will never, never hurt or get sore, swollen or tired. Think of it, no more foot misery; no more burning corns, callouses or bunions.

Get a 25-cent box at any drug store or department store, and get instant relief. Get a whole year's foot relief for only 25 cents. Think of it!

LETTER LIST.

Following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed in the Maryville, Mo., postoffice for the week ending Wednesday, April 7th, 1915.

Men.

Ashford, Arthur
Boyer, Ernest
Boyer, Theo.
Cassell, M. F.
Cooper, H. B.
Driscall, J. H.
Heck, J. C.
Holt, J. J.
Maier, F. J.
Padula, J.
Sheney, C. L.
Shettnick, Mr. (Insurance Man.)
Simpson, C. L.

Women.

Black, Miss Euna
Cramer, Mrs. Will
Darcy, Miss Flora
Maryville, Mrs.
Rapier, Mrs. I. C.
Robinson, Miss A.
Scott, Miss Elizabeth
Thomas, Miss Gertrude
Wells, Miss J. M.

Persons calling for the above named letters will please say "advertised."

JAMES TODD, Postmaster.

Diamonds and other precious stones worth $3,500,000 are smuggled into this country every month, defrauding the government of $700,000 duty, according to the best estimates.

F. R. ANTHONY M. D.,
Specialist.
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.
Office hours 9 to 11 a. m., 2 to 4 p. m.

W. G. GROSS & SON,
PAINTERS AND DECORATORS.
Hanamo 4690.
824 North Fillmore Street.

FOR SALE
Some Slightly Used
CARS
At Wilderman's Garage

CONKLIN & TINDALL,
COMPETENT PLUMBERS AND STEAM FITTERS.
Satisfaction Guaranteed. Always awake. 208 West Third Street. Hanamo phone 333.

Work Mules For Sale

15 PAIR WORK MULES
3 to 5 years old
can give time if desired
Chas. H. Roach
Farmers Phone Bedison, Mo.

DEMOCRAT-FORUM

WANT ADS

For Results. For Results.

Classified ads running three days or more one-half cent per word for each insertion; minimum rate 25c for three days. Interrupted insertions 1 cent a word for each insertion.

For Rent.

FOR RENT—Two furnished downstairs rooms, men preferred, at 522 North Market. Call Hanamo 3344. 8-10

FOR RENT—7-room house, modern except furnace, at 521 South Main. Good barn. Call Hanama 3344. 8-10

FOR RENT—The armory hall, in the Holt building, east side of square. Reasonable. See Bud Knox. 8-10

FOR RENT—3 or 4 rooms for light housekeeping; unfurnished. 415 West Ninth street. Hanamo 6217. 6-12

FOR RENT—Two large furnished rooms, closets, steam heat, running water. 1417 East Third. 6-8

FOR RENT—10 acres, house, barn, 4 acres hog pasture, 5 acres plowed, some fruit, very cheap rent. Yeo, 413 North Main. 5-10

Miscellaneous.

Thoroughbred Black Langshans exclusively. Eggs, 15, 50c; 100, $3.00; 200, $5.00. Jennie Roberts, route 5, Stanberry, Mo. 7-20

WANTED—Experienced girl wants general housework in good family. 713 North Walnut. 7-9

FOR SALE—Team, harness and wagon. See E. E. Tilton. 8-14

WANTED—Tatting orders for collars, trimmings, etc. Lila Tabler, Mutual phone 6-11. 6-8

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

SUDAN GRASS—Free from Johnson, oughed for hybirds. 40c lb ; 5 or more 30c lb. Elmer Fraser. 2-8.

PURE BRED S. C. Buff Orpington eggs for limited time at $1.00 setting of 16; $5.00 for 100. Mrs. Dillard R. Palmer, route 1, Mutual phone F35-13. 8-10

GOING SOME—Sudan, Sudan, Sudan, 25c pound; Dwarf Essex Rape, 12½c pound; Amber Cane, 90c bushel; Red Clover, very beautiful, $9.75 bushel. "Of Course" Holt for High Prices. 5-10

Sudan. Sudan. What's the matter with Susie. "She sartinly am goin' some." But you know Happy Hooligan hasn't found his best man yet. Better stop and get some at 20 cents a pound as you pass the seedy man on east side square and he might show you some thing else if you're not in a hurry. The Seedy Man, R. S. Braniger. 7-10.

For Sale.

FOR SALE—2 work horses, some Jersey cows and heifers. Mrs. M. C. Gates, Hanamo phone 60ZW. 8-10

FOR SALE—Barred Rock eggs for hatching. M. C. Thompson, Farmer's phone 219. 7-9.

FOR SALE—Hay, cows, male calf, brood gilt. W. D. Hoshor, Barnard phone. 6-8

FOR SALE—My old residence, 8 rooms, with plumbing, screens and electric wiring. Will sell cheap if bought and removed at once. Berney Harris. 6-8

FOR SALE—Johnson Co., White and Reid's Yellow Dent Seed corn, 100 per cent test at Columbia. M. C. Thompson, Farmer's phone 219. 2-15.

FOR SALE—Strawberry plants, 300 for $1, strictly new beds, guaranteed true to name. J. A. Clark, route 3, Farmers' phone 37-13. 1-14.

Poultry Column

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Buff Orpington eggs. $1.00 for settings. $5.00 per hundred. Chicks for sale. Good winter layers, big bone. Phone Farmers 23-0-12. Route 7. Mrs. Ed Walker.

S. C. RHODE ISLAND REDS, The utility breed. Eggs 50c per setting; $3.00 per hundred. Phone 37-13 Farmers. Route 3. Mrs. J. A. Clark.

S. C. Brown Leghorns exclusively. Fine layers. Eggs, $3.00 for 100. Mrs. J. R. Evans, Maryville, Mo., route 7, Mutual phone 15-13. 22.

FOR SALE—S. C. Rhode Island Reds. Eggs, 15 for 50 cents; 100 for $3.00. Mrs. John Lockhart, Wilcox. Mutual phone 12-22, Maryville.

QUITMAN.

James Young is recovering from an illness of several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McDonald and children spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Orcutt in Maryville.

W. M. Reed and family spent Sunday the guests of Robert Barrett, near Skidmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hammond and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hammond spent Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver King.

Claude Cantwell of Gassville, Ark., arrived last week and will be employed for the summer by W. M. Barry. He was accompanied by his brother, Arthur Cantwell, who will work for I. D. Tarpley.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Shrewsbury and Miss Dollie McDonald spent Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Linville.

Mr. and Mrs. Wroe Linville gave a dinner party Sunday, entertaining Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Kelley.

Miss Mamie Johnson of Stanberry arrived Monday for a visit with her uncle, John Hays, and family.

Miss Lora Stults spent Sunday with her parents at Skidmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Davis and family and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Busch were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Hays.

Rev. T. M. Walton, who is attending school at Cedar Falls, Ia., spent Tuesday with his parents, living west of Maryville.

Dent Porter began work this week for Clarence Owens.

Mrs. J. W. Smith is visiting relatives in Elmo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Johnson and Arthur Prewitt spent Sunday with relatives in Quitman.

Watch Your Children

Often children do not let parents know they are constipated. They fear something distasteful. They will like Rexall Orderlies—a mild laxative that tastes like sugar. Sold only by us, 10 cents.
Orear-Henry Drug Co.

Visiting in Kansas City.

Mrs. May Mann went to Kansas City yesterday to visit friends until Friday.

PERFECT FITTING GLASSES

Are assured you if you come to Crane's. Our expert Optician will test your eyes free and fit them with proper glasses.

H. T. CRANE
JEWELER AND OPTICIAN

Let me hear your watch tick

If you want your watch repaired by a skillful repairer bring it to me. I employ a watchmaker who knows his business.

All work guaranteed. No matter how badly your watch is broken it can be repaired at

H. L. Raines
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MARYVILLE, MO.

CHARLES E. STILWELL,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW.
Office over Farmers Trust Company, Maryville, Mo.

KARL R. MALOTTE,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,
Office over Thomas Parle's drug store
MARYVILLE, MO.
Both Phones.

Awalt, Woodburn and Whaley

We will be pleased to make estimates, draw plans and discuss house building with you.

Remember we do a general contracting business and all kinds of repair work. Our work speaks for itself.

Call either of us on Hanamo phone.

John Awalt
James Woodburn
Howard Whaley

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Open Your Savings Account Now

Lay the Foundation of your Fortune by Opening a Savings Account Today

4% ON SAVINGS DEPOSITS

Deposits of One Dollar and upwards Received in our Savings Department.

Interest Paid Twice A Year

Oldest Bank in The County

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK
A BANK FOR SAVINGS
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